

# The Tatler

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# DEDICATION

TO

MR. IRA OERTLI.

In token of our high esteem for his courtly character, his earnest and thorough and sympathetic teaching and his personal interest in each of us, also his invaluable aid in making this book a success, we do respectfully dedicate this volume of the "Tatler."





## Foreword

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**W**E MAKE NO APOLOGY for this, our work ; our drawings all the best, and our jokes the funniest and newest. We have learned some from other annuals and now and then have had an idea of our own. We are just as certain as you are that you could have done better with your eyes closed, and you have our sincere sympathy because of the fact that the opportunity for so doing was not presented to you.

We ask but one thing. If any slam herein found hurts, remember that a famous man said: "If the cap fits, wear it."

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## Alton from an Athletic Standpoint.

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The school spirit of Alton High has greatly depreciated, but the athletic ability has increased.

By sufficient support of the members of the school, the Board of Education would be more encouraged, and would no doubt in the near future give us a new Gym, in which athletics could be carried on with much greater interest and then, also, they would be encouraged to give athletics a more sufficient financial basis.

The football team of '17 is undoubtedly the best that A. H. S. has ever produced, and it was largely because of the excellent work of Coach Woods, who was a graduate of Alton High. The reason for this is, that he had all new men to work with, where Coach Brannan had practically all men of foot ball experience.

Because of an unsuitable place to practice the team was greatly handicapped. It is to be hoped that before many more years Alton will have a decent Gym., which will give the players on the team a better chance with schools which have much better practicing facilities.

Although the team was working under difficulty, its success is remarkable. Illinois High School Athletic Association asks that on account of the war that athletics be discontinued. It is for this reason that there will be no interscholastic track meets this year.

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Inquisitive: "I hear Mr. Houts electrified his classes?"

Pupil: "Naw, he gassed 'em."

"Some people can't survive going with a fellow."—Margaret Rogerson.

An exception to "Nobody loves a fat man."—Chas. Wightman.



BOOK I.  
Faculty - Classes - Honors



## Recognition Honors

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HAROLD STAMPS.—Kanawha; Vice-President, '17; Class Treasurer, '13; Class President, '15-'16-'17; Foot Ball, '14-'15-'16-'17; Captain, '16; Class Track, '14-'15-'16-'17; Captain, '17; Track Team, '14-'15-'16-'17; Captain, '17; Jubilant Jubilee, '16; Minstrels, '17; Patrons' Night, '15.

CLEMENT MERIWETHER.—Pushmataha; Debate, '17-'18; Class Basket Ball, '14-'15-'16; Tatler Board; Vice-President Pushmataha, '18; Captain Debating Team, '18; May Day Festival; Commencement Program Committee.

EDWARD OHNSORG.—Illini; U. A. Alethenea; President Alethenea, '15-'16; U. A. Foot Ball; Captain, '15; U. A. Track; Captain, '16; U. A. Baseball; Captain, '16; Vice-President Illini, '17; Track, '16-'17-'18; Captain Class Track, '18; Foot Ball, '17-'18; Class Baseball Captain, '18; Baseball Captain, '18; Class Basket Ball, '17-'18; May Day Festival, '17; Tatler Board.

HARRIET RUMSEY.—Illini; Secretary and Treasurer, Illini, '17; Chairman, Commencement Program Committee.

JAMES CHILES.—Pushmataha; Class Basket Ball, '15-'16-'17-'18; Basket Ball, '17; Captain Basket Ball, '18; Foot Ball, '17.

JOSEPH CLYNE.—Pushmataha; President U. A. Philomathean, '15-'16; U. A. Foot Ball, '15; U. A. Basket Ball, '15; Class Basket Ball, '17; Minstrel, '17; May Day Festival, '17; President Pushmataha, '17.

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Miss Moffet (in Com. Geog.): "Why is Holland like Germany?"

Deep Voice in Rear: "Because it is a low-lying country, damned on all sides."

(Very good—yes?)

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Fascinating Bartender (watching a stout Englishman gulp down his fifth drink): "Gosh, first time I ever saw a British tank in action."



# Faculty

- R. A. HAIGHT, A.B., Pd.D. (Shurtleff College)  
Superintendent of Alton Public Schools
- B. C. RICHARDSON, A.M. (Syracuse University), Principal.  
English
- BERTHA FERGUSON, B.A. (Shurtleff College)  
German, Latin
- BERTHA I. BISHOP, Ph.M. (Chicago University)  
Latin, Pedagogy, German
- M. VINOT CARTWRIGHT, A.B. (Shurtleff College)  
Latin
- MAUDE GILLHAM  
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Physics
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Drawing
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Geometry, Natural Science
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English
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Chemistry
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Girls' Physical Culture
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- G. C. RITCHER (Illinois State Normal)  
Manual Training
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Bookkeeping
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Algebra
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English, Latin, German
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History, Science, Commercial Geography
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Latin, English

Class Day  
ALTON HIGH SCHOOL

Thursday, June 14, 1917, 2 p.m.

PROGRAM.

Who's Who 1917.....	Henry Lenhardt
Piano Solo.....	Lazell Kessinger
Class Statistics.....	Charles Forbes
Vocal Solo.....	Leone Giberson
President's Address.....	Arthur Schmoeller
Violin Solo.....	Cyrus Daniel
Class Will.....	Alva Joesting
Presentation of Cane and Link to the February Class.	
Xylophone Solo.....	Oscar Schoeffler

CLASS POETS

Verna Andrews,	Mary Dawson,
Cyrus Daniel,	Helen Kauffman,
Horace Weston.	

CLASS STATISTICIANS

Charles Forbes.	Henry Pace.
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## Commencement Exercises

Class of 1917

# ALTON HIGH SCHOOL

High School Auditorium

Friday a.m., June 15, 1917

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### PROGRAM.

Invocation—

Rev. A. C. Geyer.

Music—"Gypsy Airs".

*Dvorak*

High School Orchestra.

Salutatory—

Cyrus Chisley Daniel.

Music—"Sing"

*Hoelzel*

Senior Class Quartet.

Address—"Education for Efficiency"—

H. W. Shryock, President Southern Illinois Normal.

Music—"Arabian Serenade".

*Langey*

High School Orchestra.

Valedictory—

Carrie Wilhelmina Dependahl.

Presentation of Diplomas—

By J. W. Schoeffler, President Board of Education.

Music—"On Venice Waters".

*Roeder*

Senior Class Quartet.

Mid-Winter Class  
**ALTON HIGH SCHOOL**

CLASS DAY

Thursday p.m., January 24, 1918.

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PROGRAM.

Piano Solo.....	Lucile Montgomery
Oration—"Our Job".....	Walter Yackel
Class History.....	Mamie Collins
Vocal Trio—	
Harold Stamps, Charles Oehler, Nelson Caldwell.	
Class Will.....	Nelson Caldwell
President's Address.....	Harold Stamps
Piano Solo.....	Nina Corbett
Class Prophecy.....	Mary Belle Wimber
Solo Dance .....	Irma Hecker

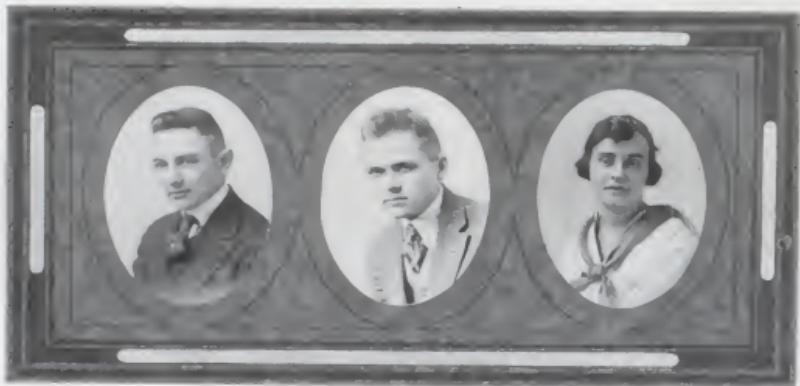
Graduating Exercises  
Mid-Winter Class, 1918  
**ALTON HIGH SCHOOL**  
High School Auditorium  
Friday evening, January 25, 1918

PROGRAM.

Invocation.....	Rev. A. C. Geyer
Music—"Land Sighting". . . . .	<i>Grieg</i>
Girls' and Boys' Glee Club.	
Salutatory.....	Carline Hope Goudie
Vocal Solo.....	Nelson Forsyth Caldwell
Address—"Developing a World Consciousness"	
Rev. S. H. Woodrow, Pastor Pilgrim Congregational Church, St. Louis.	
Music—"Sing We and Chant It".....	<i>Harris</i>
Valedictory.....	Ruth Siegerist
Presentation of Diplomas—	
By J. W. Schoeffler, President Board of Education.	

## SENIORS

### February Class, 1918



Harold Stamps,  
President

Nelson Caldwell,  
Vice-President

Katherine Koch,  
Secretary

### Officers

#### HAROLD STAMPS—

Kanawha. .  
Vice-President, '17.  
Class Treasurer, '13.  
Class President, '15-'16-'17.  
Foot Ball, '14-'15-'16.  
Captain, '16.  
Class Track, '14-'15-'16-'17.  
Captain, '15-'17.  
Track Team, '14-'15-'16-'17.  
Captain, '17.  
Jubilant Jubilee, '16.  
Minstrels, '17.  
Patrons' Night, '15.

#### NELSON CALDWELL—

Illini.  
Minstrels, '17.  
Jubilant Jubilee, '16.  
A. H. S. Quartet, '16-'17.  
May Day Festival.

#### KATHERINE KOCH—

Kanawha.  
Class Secretary, '16-'17.

**MAMIE COLLINS—**

Kanawha.

**NINA CORBETT—**

Pushmataha.

**LUCILLE MONTGOMERY—**

Illini.

**CARLINE GOUDIE—**

Pushmataha.

Tatter Board, '16.

Salutatorian, '17.

**GORDON GREEN—**

Kanawha.

**AVA KARNS**

Illini.

**ROY WINCHESTER—**

Kanawha.

**MILDRED LINKOLE—**

Pushmataha.

May Day Festival, '17.





# Can You Imagine!

Clement Meriwether without Thelma Steck?  
William Munger with his mouth shut?  
Joe Clyne out for a good time?  
Rogers Wyckoff writing notes to Vena F.?  
Margaret Rogerson being popular?  
Alton High School girls attending a foot ball game?  
"Deac" on sentry duty?  
Chas. Wightman not kidding the girls?  
Ted Franke not smiling at "Tommy"?  
Edward Levis without Perley?  
Harrie Downs having school spirit?  
Alton High School girls not attending a W. M. A. dance?  
Cupid Wyckoff without a date?  
Theo. Boyd with Ross Bratfisch?  
Chas. Halsey being a lawyer?  
Harry Worden up in his studies?  
Milton Cassella being popular?  
Miss Shedd directing the "Tatler"?

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"King of the evil."—Bob Goulding.

"Ever sane when popular—why lose all sanity now?"—Duck Levis.

Is Perley really heart free?—Ask Edward L.

It isn't his fault, he's not a devil.—Albert Duncan.

Most anybody's "baby."—Adele Brunner.

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## June Class, 1918.



Leland Winkler,  
President

Gertrude Luer,  
Vice-President

William Munger,  
Sec'y and Treas.

### LELAND WINKLER—

Pushmataha.  
Foot Ball, '16.

### GERTRUDE LUER—

Illini.  
Vice-President, '17.  
Secretary, '18.  
Class Vice-President, '17-'18.  
May Day Festival, '17.  
Class Basket Ball, '15-'16-'17-'18.  
Captain Basket Ball, '17.

Each mind has its own methods.— Clayton Houts.

Just married.—E. L. and P. G.



**VERN MILLER—**

Pushmataha.  
May Day Festival, '17.

**JOSEPH CLYNE—**

U. A.  
Pushmataha.  
President Philomathean, '15-'16.  
U. A. Foot Ball, '15.  
U. A. Basket Ball, '15.  
Class Basket Ball, '17.  
Minstrels, '17.  
May Day Festival, '17.  
President Pushmataha, '17.

**MAMIE MELLING—**

Illini.  
Basket Ball.

**HELEN ROSE—**

Illini.  
President Illini, '18.  
Illini Play, '16.  
May Day Festival, '17.  
Minstrels, '16.

**CLEMENT MERIVETHER—**

Pushmataha.  
Vice-President Pushmataha, '17.  
President Pushmataha, '18.  
Debate, '17-18.  
Captain of Debating Team, '18.  
Class Basket Ball, '15-'16-'17-'18  
Tatler Board, '17.  
May Day Festival.  
Commencement Program Committee, '18.

**NINA HERRICK—**

U. A.  
Pushmataha.  
May Day Festival, '17.

**NORMA RIEHL—**

Illini.  
May Day Festival, '18.

**MARTIN HILE—**

Illini.  
Foot Ball, '17.

*KATHERINE*  
MARY MOORHEAD—

Pushmataha.

HELEN BEACH—

Kanawaha,  
Secretary Kanawaha,  
May Day Festival, '17.

ROBERT PAUL—

Kanawaha,  
President Kanawaha, '18.  
Foot Ball, '16-'17.  
Class Basket Ball, '17-'18.  
Class Base Ball, '18.  
Glee Club, '16-'17-'18.

TESS SMITH—

May Day Festival,  
May Day Festival, '17.  
Pushmataha.

GLADYS GARSTANG—

Pushmataha,  
Class Basket Ball, '16-'16-'17-'18.  
May Day Festival,  
May Day Festival, '17.

HARRISON WOOD—

Illini.

NEVA AMBERG—

Illini.

MARGARET JOHNSTON—

Pushmataha  
May Day Festival, '17-18.





**BESS BRIGGS—**

Pushmataha,

**JAMES CHILES—**

Pushmataha.  
Chuss Basket Ball, '15-'16-'17-'18.  
Basket Ball, '17.  
Captain B. B., '18.  
Captain Basket Ball, '18.  
Foot Ball, '17.  
Class B. B., '18.  
Class Basket Ball, '18.

**LOUIS VAUGHN—**

Illini.

**EMMA SAWYER—**

May Day Festival.  
May Day Festival, '17.  
Kanawha.  
Chorus.  
Secretary and Treasurer Kanawha.

**FRANCIS MANNING—**

Kanawha.

**VIOLA VOSS—**

Illini.

**RALPH VOLZ—**

Kanawha.  
Vice-President, '18.

**SOPHIA HULL—**

Pushmataha.  
U. A. Vice-President Alethenae, '15.  
May Day Festival, '17

**ESTILLE LYNN—**

Pushmataha.

**MARGARET ROGERSON—**

Basket Ball, '16-'17-'18,  
May Day Festival, '17-'18.  
Patrons' Night, '16.

**EDWARD OHNSORG—**

U. A. Aletheneae.  
President Aletheneae, '16-'18.  
U. A. Foot Ball Captain, '15.  
U. A. Track Foot Ball Captain, '16.  
U. A. Baseball Captain, '16.  
Illini.  
Vice-President Illini, '17  
Track, '16-'17-'18.  
Captain Class Track, '18  
Football, '17-'18.  
Class Baseball Captain, '18.  
Baseball Captain, '18.  
Class Basket Ball Captain, '17-'18.  
May Day Festival, '17.  
Business Manager Tatler, '17.

**ANNA ARTER—**

Kanawaha.  
Chorus.  
May Day Festival, '17.  
Kanawha.  
Chorus.  
May Day Festival, '17.  
Kanawaha, '17.

**WILLIAM DEHNER—**

U. A. Philomathean.  
Pushmataha.  
Tatler Board, '17.  
May Day Festival, '17.

*MARY*  
**KATHERINE MOORHEAD—**

Illini  
Class Basket Ball, '17-'18.  
Chorus, '16-'17-'18.

**CHARLES HALSEY—**

Pushmataha.  
May Day Festival, '17.  
Class Basket Ball, '18.  
Class Base Ball, '18.

**MARGARET FITZGERALD—**

Kanawha.





**KATHERINE MAGILL—**

Pushmataha.

**WILFRED QUEEN—**

Kanawha,  
Patrons' Night, '16.  
Debate '18.  
Class Baseball, '18.  
Foot Ball.

**FLORA RUST—**

Illini.  
Basket Ball '14-'15-'16.  
May Day Festival.

**RICHARD CLAYTON—**

Captain Basket Ball, '16-'17.  
Basket Ball, '16-'17-'18.  
Foot Ball, '14-'15-'16-'17.  
Kanawha.

**HARRIET RUMSEY—**

Salutatorian, '18  
Secretary and Treasurer Illini.  
Chairman Commencement Program.

**LESTER CULP—**

May Day Festival, '17.  
May Day Festival.  
Debate, '18.  
Vice-President Alethenae U. A.  
Kanawha.

**MARGARET CAMPBELL—**

Pushmataha.

**FLORENCE SHIREY—**

Illini.  
Secretary Illini, '17.  
Chorus, '16-'17-'18.  
Valedictorian, '18.

# SENIORS

## February Class, 1919



Edwin Stillwell,      Harley Caywood,      Edith Challacombe,  
President                  Vice-President                  Sec'y and Treas.

### EDWIN STILLWELL—

Kanawha.  
Basket Ball, '16-'17-'18.  
President of Class, '17-'18.  
President of Kanawha, '17.  
Foot Ball, '17.

### HARLEY CAYWOOD—

Pushmataha  
Sec'y and Treas. Pushmataha, '18.  
Basket Ball, '18.  
Foot Ball, '17.  
Vice-President Class '17-'18.



GERTRUDE HORN—

Kanawha.

FREDERICKA STRAUBE—

Pushmataha.

FRED SCHERRER—

Illiini.

MAUDE RUST—

Illiini.

EDITH CHALLACOMBE—

Pushmataha.  
Sec'y and Treasurer Class '17-'18,  
Tatler Board, '17.  
Vice-President Class '17-18.

HILDA SCHWEICKHARDT—

Kanawha.

CYNTHIA CORRIE

EDWIN STILLWELL—

Kanawha.  
Basket Ball, '16-'17-'18.  
President of Class, '17-18.  
President Kanawha, '17.  
Foot Ball, '17.

**GRACE MILLER—**

Pushmataha.

**HELEN GOUDIE—**

Kanawha.

**DOROTHY WILL—**

Kanawha.

**CYNTHIA CORRIE**

**HILDA SCHWEICKHARDT—**

**THELMA ROLLER—**

Kanawha.

**PERLEY GADDIS—**

May Festival.  
Patrons' Night.  
Pushmataha.

**MARGARETHE ZELTMANN—**

Kanawha.





**HELEN SHRIGLEY—**

Kanawha.

**FLORENCE YOXALL—**

Pushmataha.

**HELEN MILLER—**

Tatler Board, '18.  
Pushmataha.

**JESSIE McDONALD—**

Illini.

**MILDRED MALLOY—**

Kanawha.

**EMMA HARRIS—**

Kanawha.

**RAYMOND WENZEL—**

Pushmataha.

**HELEN KELLER—**

Pushmataha.

# JUNIORS



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## June Class, 1919



Jack Hind,  
President

Edwin Cox, Vice-President      Helen Wyckoff, Secretary

### JACK HIND

"The best looking boy in school"  
Is what the girls all say;  
He is also very, very smart—  
He recites every blessed day.

### HELEN WYCKOFF

Helen is an Upper Alton maid,  
She's as bright as she is cute;  
No one is able to resist her charms  
And she's wild about Physics, too.

#### BEN VINE

Ben's rather shy with Alton girls,  
Though he seems to be bold when away.  
You ask about a certain basketball game,  
'Twas there he was in full sway.

#### RUTH DALE

She is the best natured girl in school,  
If you knew her, you would agree;  
She is very small in stature,  
And as thin as she can be.

#### EDNA BAILEY

Everybody likes Edna,  
If you knew her, you would, too;  
'Cause she's "awful" industrious,  
And happy and cheerful and true.

#### HAROLD STAFFORD

There's been a Stafford in A. H. S.  
Nearly since the first red brick was laid,  
And each young lad (of the many ones)  
A career of some sort has made.

#### ADELE HILDEBRAND

Adele is an elocutionist,  
She's always talking in school;  
She failed in Chemistry this year,  
She couldn't learn the rule.

#### MAGGIE BANTZ

Tho' shy and rather eccentric,  
She studies with all her might,  
And you ought never try to argue with  
her,  
For she's always in the right.

#### EDMUND HORD

There was never a boy so good  
As Edmund is in school;  
But, then, he is rather smart,  
Although he never breaks a rule.

#### LEONARD BROWER

I don't know much about him,  
'Ceptin' this—he's awful shy,  
But if he ever does get started  
Going with a girl—Oh, My!





**HARRY WORDEN**

Harry, or "Porcupine," as he is called,  
Is a happy-go-lucky lad;  
Why, nothing whatever as far as I know  
Can possibly make him mad.

**THELMA SCHMERGE.**

A beautiful voice,  
And complexion rare;  
Oh why should this maid  
(f her size beware.

**MARK MALEY**

Mark thinks he's such a "fusser,"  
He "dolls up" every day,  
In hopes of seeing Her at least,  
Ch well, sometime he may!

**OLGA SCHOEFFLER**

She's liked by all the maidens,  
She's adored by most the boys;  
And when it comes to tickling the ivories,  
She has more than a plenty of poise.

**MARTHA RUSTMANN**

She's a fascinating maiden,  
And though you'd never call her bold,  
The friends that flock around her  
Are unnumbered—so I'm told.

**RALPH WAGGONER**

Ralph is from the country,  
But this is no disgrace;  
You can have plenty of fun with him,  
He surely is a "case."

**JOSEPHINE GASCHO**

Josephine studies her lessons hard,  
And her grades are always high;  
In Physics she gets the highest  
But German makes her sigh.

**EVA EVERSON**

Eva likes High School a lot,  
She comes from Wood River each day;  
She is very fond of music—  
You ought to hear her play.

### EDWIN COX

Edwin is an artist,  
He is popular among the girls;  
He likes Irene and Helen,  
And all the girls with curls.

### ALBERTA BROWN

There are two colors so near alike  
They never are apart.  
The Brown (you know who it is I mean)  
Has captured the Black, Blackheart.

### MARGARET PENNING

Peg is a lass of the carefree class,  
She cares for nothing but joy,  
And the least of all, in this world of care,  
Does she care for the troublesome boy.

### LOLA WINDSOR

Lola cannot be called a shirk,  
For she studies with all her might,  
Tho' she could stop now and know more  
than we,  
Still she studies from morn till night.

### ARTHUR ZOLL ✓

Olga, Helen, Kathryn and Ruth,  
Theo and many more,  
All think Arthur's "super-grand,"  
And 'tis he that they adore.

### VIOLA LUER

Viola worries about the boys,  
Especially little Ben Vine,  
And wonders if the time will come  
When he will say, "Dear, be mine."

### LESLIE YUNGCK

(Better Known as "Sleepy Eyes")  
When a girl just meets Leslie,  
She'll have quite a fall;  
For though he looks sleepy,  
He is not, at all.

### MARTHA WILLIAMS

Her name implies  
An old fashioned maid,  
And so she remains  
Till her headstone is laid.





#### ISRAEL STREEPER

Izzy's the "means" of the "Tatler" this year.  
That is—he's sort of a "base,"  
For whenever there was any work to be done,  
'Twas Izzy who started the pace.

#### ADELAIDE TENIS

Though rather small,  
She's very quick;  
And to all her friends  
She's a regular brick.

#### GLADYS McREYNOLDS

Cicero is Gladys' favorite class,  
And Physics is next in line;  
She gets good grades in Physics,  
And thinks it simply fine.

#### MARY EBLE

"Mary, Mary, so dainty and airy,  
Why is it you are so shy?"  
Because everyone scares me to death  
And if I see a boy—Oh my!"

#### CHARLES BLACK

Chas. or Dinky, as he's called,  
Is a good old all-round sport.  
But he's gettin' mighty mooney,  
Since he began Alterta to court.

#### RUTH FLORY

Ruth is a general favorite  
With her bright and cheerful way;  
She studies her lessons once in a while  
And sometimes recites during the day.

#### ROSS MILFORD

Poor Ross! he is so handsome!  
The girls just sit and rave,  
And tho' he pays no heed to them,  
They just cannot behave.

#### LILLIAN WUTZLER

She knows a bit of every thing,  
Not much of this or that;  
But she's realy very popular—  
Now, what do you think of that?

## JUNIORS

### February Class, 1920



Helen Pfeiffer,  
President

Helen Corbett,  
Vice-President

Elizabeth Chiles,  
Secretary

#### HELEN PFEIFFER

Valedictorian is the very least  
That she can hope to be,  
How she can get the grades she does  
Is more than I can see.



**CLARENCE BENSINGER ✓**

Clarence is fine at football,  
He's swift upon his feet;  
His nickname, too, is "Sugar,"  
Which shows he's very sweet.

**NINA MATHER**

Oh, Nina is quite conceited,  
About what—we do not know,  
For tho' she flourishes letters around,  
We doubt if she has a real beau!

**ELLA SHAVER**

Timid and shy,  
Tho' a winsome lass  
She works with a will,  
I'm sure she'll pass.

**ROSS BRATFISCH**

Handkerchiefs from Theo, handkerchiefs  
from Ruth;  
And handkerchiefs from Helen—he takes  
them without fear;  
Girls, if you want your handkerchiefs,  
Be careful when Ross is near.

**VELMA DEEDS**

She has a very conscious air  
Which says, "Am I not pretty?"  
And that is why I dedicate  
To her this little ditty.

**VERENA FLACH**

Verena seems afraid of all human beings,  
Why, I could not say—  
'Tis study from early morn till eve,  
And there seems to be no time for play.

**ELMER KRUSE**

All the girls are wild about Elmer,  
And there's a reason why,  
Cause Elmer is so countrified,  
And so very, very shy.

**LUCILE OSBORN**

Yes, she is still plodding along,  
Some day she hopes to graduate,  
But she'll die of old age before that time  
If she keeps up her present rate.

#### LUCY MUNGER

Never out of humor,  
Though rather dull(?) in class,  
The boys and girls, and teachers, too,  
Are bound to like this lass.

#### PHILIP JACOBY

I'm't he studious looking?  
My gracious, how looks deceive!  
For the teachers all say he can't hehave,  
And them we are bound to believe.

#### THELMA STECK ✓

She's always the spirit of a crowd,  
If a boy she'd he a scamp,  
But unfortunately she was born a girl,  
So she ended by being a "vamp."

#### HUGH KAUFFMAN

See the happy grin on his face?  
He's an extremely dutiful son;  
He's his mamma's little gentleman,  
And to him she's the "only one."

#### MOSELLE MORGAN

And here we have a Wood River lass,  
A smart one, too, they say;  
For no matter how much she goes with  
Ralph,  
She has her lessons every day.

#### ROBERT GOULDING

Why the frown on his noble brow,  
And the droop of dull care on his face?  
Since he's accepted the Manager's job  
This look he cannot erase.

#### GERTRUDE DUGGAN

Gertrude has made many conquests,  
And suitors she has by the score;  
But as long as Nelson's among them,  
The rest she is bound to ignore.

#### HELEN CORBETT

You may roam over all the world,  
Seeking the sweetest of sweets,  
But Helen Corbett, you will find,  
Has the truest heart that beats.





**ELIZABETH CHILES**

There is no doubt but what she's liked  
By every person you could name,  
For the popularity of Betty Chiles  
Is not confined to High School fame.

**CORDELIA SCHUETTE ✓**

Quiet and steadfast,  
She'll succeed,  
She has ever for all  
A kind word or deed.

**LUCILLE VAUGHN**

Rather attractive but very shy,  
She pays no heed to boys;  
To her they're very nuisances,  
And she hates their racket and noise.

**STANLEY JONES**

Stanley's a new boy here at school.  
Altho' he seems to mix quite well,  
If he keeps up at his present rate,  
His friends we'll be unable to tell.

**VIOLA BIERBAUM**

Viola likes to talk to the boys,  
She thinks it's lots of fun;  
And they also like to talk to her—  
Full many a heart she has won.

**IRENE MANSHOLT**

Really quite shy is this young maid,  
She looks neither left or right;  
If anyone strange were to speak to her  
She would probably die of fright.

**LORNAINE STAMPS**

Here is a lass  
Who bears the name  
Of a "clan" who in sports  
Have always won fame.

**SERANA DEPENDAHL**

If she don't get her lessons,  
'Tis not because she doesn't work,  
For while there's e'en a small task left,  
Her duty Serana can't shirk.



## SOPHOMORES

### June Class, 1920



Adele Brunner, Henry Wade, Mildred Wenzel, Preston Levis,  
Anna Cobeck, Grace Carter, Sadie Haynes, Dorothy Huskinson, Elizabeth Gissal.



Rose Rice, Kathleen Derwin, Bessie Dykeman,  
David Young, Fred Busse, Palmer Hancock, Kenneth Beach.

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Greatness knows itself.—Clement Meriwether.

Great! Let me call him, for he conquered me.—Charlene Haley.



Dorothy Hunter, Katherine Flagg, Helen Masel, Mildred McPhillips,  
Meta Beiser, Marie Barker, Mercedes Drummond, Clotilda Mayford, Helen Koch.



Oiland Forcade, Walter Ruckman, Alfred Clayton,  
Fred Yeakel, Wilbur Halsey, Margaret Moran, Edward Levis, Katherine Dolbow.

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The world knows nothing of its greatest men.—Edwin Cox.

Ignorance never solved the question.—Frank Budde.



Lillian Sternberg, Hazel Schubert,  
Hazel Challacombe, Jeanette Wilson, Doris Hoffman.

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ROBERT GOULDING TO EDITH CHALLACOMBE.

She tho't the room was very hot,  
And so did I!

She tho't the porch the coolest spot,  
And so did I!

So leaving all the parlor glare,  
Where all the lights were high and folks could stare,  
She wandered to the bench out there,  
And so did I!

She nestled in the cozy thing,  
And so did I!

She tho't the moon the nicest thing,  
And so did I!

Her restless lips were very near,  
As soft they murmured in my ear,  
Till presently they came too near,  
And so did I!

# FRESHIES



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# FRESHMEN

## February Class, 1921



Gladys Sutton, Irene Dudley, Dorothy Schaperkotter,  
Bertha Barth, William Whitney, Etta Starkey, Roy Merkle, Evelyn Toupno.



Katherine Norris, Irma Bott, Elinor Rumsey, Thelma Eppell,  
Ruth Joesting, Olga Ott, Eunice Vine, Elizabeth Goudie.

## June Class, 1921



Daisy Young, Melvin Hebnér, Rosalie Roller, George Camp,  
Evelyn Clement, Norman Gillham, Ruth Peters, Frederick Zeltmann, Dorothy Gates.



Harriet Caldwell, Philimon Winkler, Irene Norman, Virginia Pfeiffer,  
Walter Farrin, Iona Warner, Joe Yungck, Helen Jun, Ben Kopp.

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In jealousy there is more self love than love.—E. Ohnsorg.

Since there is no help, let us kiss and part.— J. Clyne.



Mabel Applequist, Minnie Brandeweide, Leroy Roper,  
Pearl Savidge, Oswald McManus, Edith Day, Robert Shaff.



Nellie Roberts, Charles Lahlein, Doris Barnhardt, Lillian Johnson, Charlene Haley,  
Charles Ross, Gladys Oddy, Reatha Ostercamp, Velora Heskett, Maurice Zumwalt.

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Who can direct when all pretend to know?—L. S. Haight.

I know a hawk from a hand-saw.—Floyd Shirey.



Walter Nitsche, Carol Lindley, Joe Wiseman, Helen Getsinger,  
Frank Mathews, Frank Yoder, Mary Collins, Tracey Coulter, William Keller.



Helen Andrews, Wilhelmina Grabbe, Sophia Schwaab, Joe Nixon,  
Guy Sevier, Thelma Wilkinson, Albert Duncan, Mildred Schauerte, Henry Bennett.

"An awe-inspiring sight."—Miss Ferguson.

"Oh, yes! He plays craps in everything."—Harley Caywood



William Miller, Virginia Sauvage, Jane Black, Gerald Byron,  
Bernard Derwin, Charlotte Rodgers, Paul Grisham, Louise Bertman, Raymond Don  
Stocker.



Katherine McCarthy, Bernard Stafford, Dorothea Clark, Charles Huskinson,  
Emma Clark, John McFadden, Vena Foulds, Elmer Wonderlich, Lucille Rintoul.

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"Once a very idol for girls—but evidently he fell off his pedestal."  
—Winfield Farley.

# UPPER-ALTON



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## Upper Alton Sophomores, 1921



Harold Brown, Geraldine Maley, Taucket Wells, James Cantrell,  
Margaret Beneke, Alfred Springer.



Mildred Williams, Roberta Megowen, Mamie Bantz,  
Hugh Ford, David Magill, Raymond Metzger, Vernon Boyd.



William Wiston, Dudley Harris, Milton Cassella,  
Lawrence Gent, George Schwab.

## Upper Alton Freshmen, 1922



Frank Budde, Earl Zoll, Rodgers Wyckoff,  
Hazel Stahl, Lucille McCurry, Ira Longfellow, Ruth Gaines.

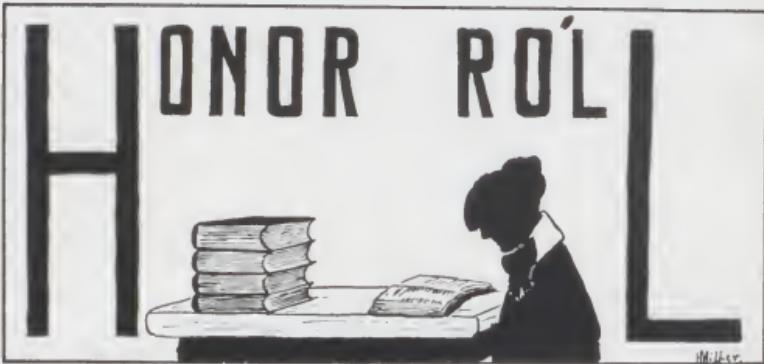


MARIE  
Virginia White, Ralph Osborn, Bessie Hendrick, Marie Wempen,  
Helen Leighty, Ruth Stamper.

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"A vacant smile can hide much."—Leland Smith.

"Not a bit partial—he kids them all."—Philip Jacoby.



## SECOND SEMESTER, JUNE, 1917

### High Honor

Requirements for High Honor: No grade below excellent (92), and no demerits.

Florence Shirey

Helen Goudie

### Honor

Requirements for Honor: Four regular subjects with no grade below 85, and not more than three demerits.

Helen Rose

Harriet Rumsey

Mary Elble ✓

Florence Yoxall

Helen Keller

Gertrude Horn

Adele Hildebrand ✓

Ross Milford ✓

Viola Luer ✓

Charles Wightman ✓

Lola Windsor ✓

Lucy Munger

Helen Pfeiffer

Helen Corbett

Marie Barker

Walter Ruckman

Bessie Dykeman

Jeannette Wilson

Elizabeth Gissal

David Young

Palmer Hancock

Clarence Wise

Bertha Richardson

Alfred Clayton

Gladys Sutton

Adele Zeller

Della Cook ✓

## FIRST SEMESTER, JANUARY, 1918

## High Honor

Florence Shirey Helen Pfeiffer  
Virginia White ✓

Honor

Gladys Garstang	Clement Meriwether
Gertrude Luer	Helen Rose
Mamie Melling	Harriet Rumsey
Viola Voss ✓	
Helen Goudie	Helen Keller
Gertrude Horn	Florence Yoxall
Fred Scherrer	
Helen Corbett	William Shaw
Moselle Morgan	
Marie Barker	Dorothy Huskinson
Serena Dependahl	Helen Koch
Grace Gee	Lillian Sternberg
Elizabeth Gissal	Thelma Steck
Geraldine Maley ✓	Raymond Metzger
Eunice Vine	Minnie Brandeweide
Iona Warner	Harriet Caldwell
Harold Paul	George Camp
Margaret Davis	
Hazel Stahl ✓	Marie Layton
Rodgers Wyckoff ✓	Phillip Ede
Ruth Stampfer ✓	Helen Leighty

Adele Brunner (to Bub Wade): "Oh, Bub, I think your new car is perfectly darling. I'm just crazy 'bout it," etc., etc.

Bub (understandingly): "All right, Adele. I'll give you a ride some time!"





BOOK II.  
Athletics - Football - Basketball



# FOOT BALL



JOHN ZORN

## Football Team



CAPT. VERNON CHILES, captain of the '17 Champions, proved to be very efficient. He always used good judgment in behalf of the players. He worked hard and developed the greatest team of A. H. S.



JAMES CHILES, the captain's little brother, playing his last year of football, became an all-state guard. We will certainly miss Jim next year.



MARTIN HILE. Hile playing his first and last year at center played a very steady game, always alert. He will prove to be a star some day.

ROBERT BARKER. Bob was the greatest end ever at Alton. Surely if Bob returns he will lead the Ruby Red and Silver Gray next year.



RICHARD CLAYTON. Clayton in playing quarter back showed that he knew his business, for it was his brains that guided us to victory.



LELAND SMITH. When Alton needed a man to open up the opponent's line for a big gain, Smith was the man. We lose our heavy guard this year.





RALPH CANTRELL. Cantrell, the big freshman playing his first year, made an excellent record. We could always rely on Jim for the kick.



PRESTON LEVIS. Levis, also a new man, will probably prove to be Alton's greatest half back in the next two years.



EDWIN STILLWELL. Stillwell, little and light, proved fast at end. He will return next year and will no doubt worry his opponents.

TED OHNSORG, the greatest full back Alton High School has seen in many a day. It is claimed that he was the best open field runner in this part of the State. He saved the day in the East St. Louis game, playing with two carbuncles on his neck. Ted will not return next year.



HAROLD STAMPS, captain of the '16 team, and one of our greatest half-backs, was unable to play the full season on account of injuries which he received.



HARRY SCHAEFER. Schaefer was the man that put the "pep" in the team. "Fast" is his middle name. If Harry doesn't return next year, Alton's '18 team will sure lose its fame.





CLARENCE BENSINGER. "Sugar" playing his first year proved not to be a slacker. He worked hard and won a place on the team.



ARTHUR ZOLL. Zoll, playing his first year of real football, made good. Zoll worked under difficulties. He will return next year and no doubt will worry his opponents.



COACH BRANNAN. One of the best coaches Alton has had.

## Football Games

Alton High School opened the football season of 1917 with the following lineup:

Ralph Cantrell.....	Left End
Vernon Chiles (Capt.)..	Left Tackle
Clarence Bensinger.....	Left Guard
Martin Hile.....	Center
James Chiles .....	Right Guard
Leland Smith.....	Right Tackle
Robert Barker.....	Right End
Harry Schaefer .....	Left Half Back
Edward Ohnsorg.....	Full Back
Harold Stamps.....	Right Half Back
Richard Clayton.....	Quarter Back

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 29.

Alton High School journeyed to Jacksonville for the first game of the season. This was the first of the long string of victories collected during the season. Alton received the kick off and carried the ball into Jacksonville territory and lost it on a fumble.

Jacksonville then kicked and, through some successful gains by Ohnsorg, Schaefer and Stamps, Alton made a touchdown, Schaefer being crowned with the season's first touchdown. Barker then made a touchdown on a pass from Clayton. Ohnsorg was hurt and forced to retire, Captain Chiles taking full back. Chiles then placed the ball between the goal post after a long end run. Barker passed to Clayton for the fourth touchdown. Jacksonville was helpless before the "never say die" attack of Alton. Ohnsorg, Schaefer, Stamps, V. Chiles and Barker were the individual stars. Score 26—0.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 6.

Playing her second game of the season away from home the team went to St. Louis to play McKinley High School, champions of St. Louis Interscholastic League. McKinley made a touchdown after the first four minutes of play; Alton was nervous. After this blow, however, the Alton team braced themselves. Alton gained three yards to McKinley's two, but after that suffered from frequent fumbles. After the ball was carried sixty-five (65) yards to McKinley's 35-yard line, Ohnsorg dropped back to the 30-yard line and kicked the ball between the enemy's goal posts. Final score, 10—3. Ohnsorg, J. Chiles, Smith, Stamps and Barker starred.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 13.

The weak little team of Litchfield came to Alton's home grounds to match their strength against that of our team. It was no match! Levis and Zoll alternated at quarterback in place of Clayton, who was out with a twisted knee. Ohnsorg, Schaefer, Barker, Zoll, Stamps and V. Chiles starred in the game. Score, 85—0.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 20.

Peoria Manual was quoted as having a reputation as a staunch team, having defeated Jacksonville worse than Alton did. However, Alton's fast back field romped through the Peoria team. Stamps went out with a bad leg and Clayton was forced to retire in the latter part of the game. Walter Woods, our last year beloved coach, who is now in the army, gave the team of Alton an impressive fighting talk. However, the field was wet and soggy and caused the game to be rather slow. Score, 18—6. The stars of that game were J. Chiles, Barker, Cantrill, V. Chiles and Ohnsorg.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 27.

Alton secured a game with St. Louis University Freshmen. They were supposed to be a good team. However, they had but two good men and could not stop the lightning runs and passes of Alton. Many believed Alton would meet defeat, but opinions were changed after the first whistle. Touchdowns were made by Ohnsorg, Barker, Clayton and Schaefer. However, Bensinger, J. Chiles, Barker and Smith also worried the "formidable Freshies." Score, 41—6.

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 3.

The next game we played was with Soldan High School of St. Louis. The writer, being a member of the Alton team, regrets to write about this game. It should be left out, as it was a reversal of the Alton's team attack, also her methods of training. Knowing that a strenuous game was coming, four of the members of the team visited a dance some time between 8 o'clock and 12 M. The game was played in the morning at 10 o'clock. Result: Alton was lucky to come out as well as she did. The Soldan team missed making a touchdown when they had the ball in Alton's five-yard line at the end of each half. Although Ohnsorg, Clayton and Schaefer made many passes yet fifteen fumbles occurred during the game. What did it? You answer it yourself. Score, 14—9. Barker and J. Chiles starred; they didn't attend the dance.

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 10.

This game was the test game of the season for Alton. Taylorville had not been defeated in three years and when they came to Alton they were after another scalp; they didn't get it. Alton scored first after Ohnsorg intercepted a forward pass on Alton's ten-yard line and ran through the whole Taylorville line for a touchdown, completing the longest run of the season. Goal was kicked. Taylorville often ripped holes in the Alton line, but could not make a touchdown until the final quarter. However, Alton had V. Chiles and Stamps and Barker gracing the side lines. The game ended in a tie—7—7—and also tied up the Central Illinois championship. Ohnsorg, J. Chiles and Smith were stars of this battle.

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 17.

So! we were to play a team claiming the Southern Illinois championship, having lost one game, that going to Central High of St. Louis on the same day that McKinley defeated Alton. East St. Louis came

one hundred strong, prepared to defeat her old rival, who had defeated her in basket ball and base ball. They started in a flash and made a touchdown in the first period. Alton had no pep. James Coleman gave the team a talk and told us we were "yellow." We wanted to fight him. Ohnsorg was placed at full back with a bandaged neck with carbuncles and the men went back for the second half with blood in their eye. The rest went easy. After several long runs by the back field, Ohnsorg carried the ball over the line. East St. Louis received the kick-off with their minds set upon another touchdown. However, J. Chiles, Smith, Bensinger, Barker and Cantrell, also Zoll, "busted" play after play and East St. Louis kicked. Then Alton duplicated the former stunt and Ohnsorg again carried the ball to the country station. East St. Louis received the kick and took the ball to the 30-yard line by a pass from Ohnsorg to Clayton. Ohnsorg drop kicked goal. Score, 15—7. J. Chiles, Ohnsorg, Schaefer and Barker starred. V. Chiles and Stamps graced the side lines on account of injuries.

#### SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 29.

Belleville brought her "would-be" football team to Alton to make an effort to defeat the Alton team. Many of the substitutes played in this game. Stillwell and Caywood played well, each making a touchdown. However, the team used every player which they had. Successive runs by Ohnsorg, Schaefer, Cantrell, V. Chiles and Barker broke up the Belleville team. Belleville emerged from this battle with the very short end of the score. Score, 51—0.

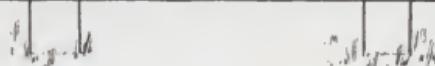
#### THURSDAY, THANKSGIVING DAY, NOVEMBER 29.

Beardstown had a team which crumpled during this game as much as Belleville. No competition was shown during the rainy day, as Beardstown never got the ball near the Alton 20-yard line. Schaefer, Ohnsorg, Stamps, Barker, Smith, J. Chiles and Bensinger were the individual stars. Final score, 34—0.

Team Scoring.	Points.
Ohnsorg .....	110
Barker .....	42
Schaefer .....	30
Clayton .....	24
Stamps .....	18
V. Chiles .....	12
Cantrell .....	10
Stillwell .....	6
Zoll .....	6
 Total.....	 258
Opponents .....	50
 Margin over opponents.....	 208

# **WEARERS OF THE A**

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## **FOOTBALL.**

Vernon Chiles, Captain  
James Chiles  
Martin Hile  
Robert Barker  
Richard Clayton  
Leland Smith  
James Cantrell

Preston Levis  
Edwin Stillwell  
Edward Ohnsorg  
Harold Stamps  
Harry Schaefer  
Clarence Bensinger  
Arthur Zoll

## **BASKETBALL.**

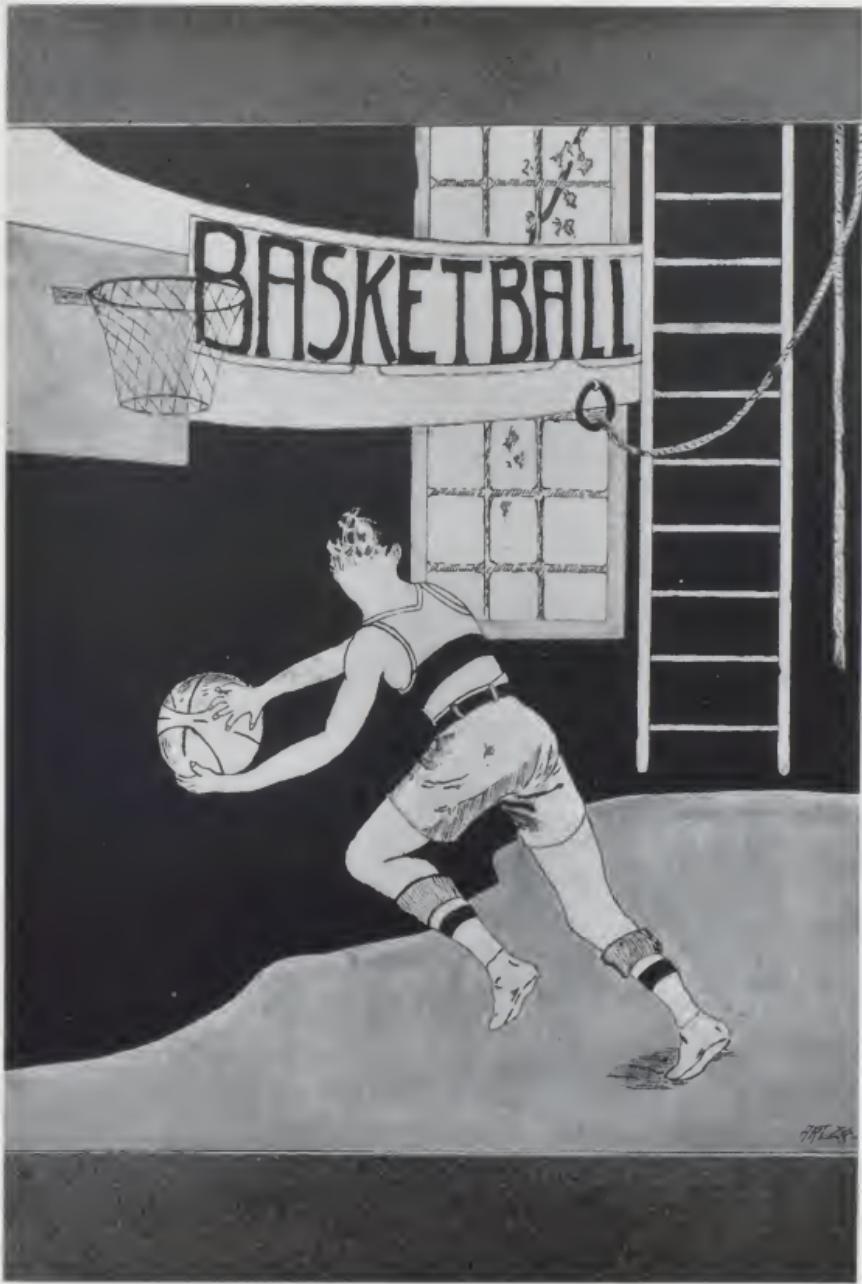
James Chiles, Captain  
James Cantrell  
Charles Black

Taucket Wells  
Edwin Stillwell

## **DEBATE.**

Clement Meriwether  
Robert Goulding  
Wilfred Queen  
Mary Belle Wimber  
Lester Culp  
Israel Streepner

Harold Stafford  
William Dehner  
Lucille Osborn  
Ben Vine  
Palmer Hancock



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## '17-'18 Basketball Season

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Alton High School '17-'18 basket ball season was the most successful we have had for many years. Jerseyville was defeated in our opening game. Granite City was defeated twice, the first time such a feat has been accomplished in the history of the school. Principia Military Academy, which twice defeated Western, and many of the St. Louis High Schools, was defeated on their own floor. Alton went to the district tournament at Centralia with a good chance to reach the finals, but on account of the Exemption Board using the Y. M. Gymnasium, Alton did not get enough practice to keep in the best of trim. This, combined with "Jim" Cantrell's measles, slowed the team down. Sandoval was defeated in the first game, which placed us against Granite, whom we had already conquered twice.

The game was all Granite's for the first half, Alton being unable to score regularly, although they had the ball in their possession most of the time. The half ended with a score of 29 to 11 in Granite's favor. In the second half Alton played in true style and scored seventeen points to Granite's two, Granite winning 28 to 31. Alton was thus eliminated and Granite was defeated in the finals by Centralia. (Alton must have a Gymnasium if we ever expect to win a State tournament).

The team, although lacking in individual stars, played a hard, consistent game. Everyone worked for the good of the team. Captain "Jim" Chiles proved a most valuable leader, "Jim's" grin and "pep" were everywhere; when it was necessary for Alton to score a few points he would leave his guard position and get a few baskets. When the other team got dangerous, he would break up their play. Chiles lead the team in scoring and was without doubt the most dependable man on the squad. We will sure miss "Jim" next year. Clayton at the other guard played a heavy, consistent game. Wells, Black and Stillwell all played steady games at forward and will be back next year. Cantrell outjumped every center he met and as a standing guard is hard to beat. We expect much from "Jimmy" in the next three years.

### BASKETBALL SCORES.

Alton	31	Jerseyville	28
Alton	19	Collinsville	24
Alton	32	Alumni	31
Alton	47	Girard	14
Alton	28	Edwardsville	6
Alton	29	Collinsville	22
Alton	31	Granite City	22
Alton	29	Edwardsville	12
Alton	31	Principia	24
Alton	25	Marissa	12
Alton	31	Granite City	29
Alton	28	Jerseyville	31
Alton	30	Sandoval	20
Alton	28	Granite City	31
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"All is not gold that glitters."—Peg Rogerson.

Mr. L. S. H. asks "Rosie" Milford to live on onions as he would like to see how a victim of such living would act.

"A date! Who said anything about a date?"—Adele Brunner.

"Oh, how the girls do bother me."—"Rosie" Milford.

"If only you could see yourself as others see you—and profit thereby."—Gladys Oddy.

"Oh, yes, my basket ball team was good."—Coach Brannan. (The conceit of him!)

"If only you were all that you seem to be."—Edith Challacombe.

## Girls' Basket Ball Season

The girls' basket ball season started with a great deal of interest on the part of all the girls and it was apparent from the first that the season would be a successful one.

The teams were picked after many practice games as follows:

FRESHMEN.	JUNIORS.
F. Eunice Vine (Captain)	F. Verna Foreman (Captain)
F. Thelma Eppel	F. Lucy Munger
F. Olga Ott	F. Elsie Schmoeller
C. Edith Day	C. Helen Pfeiffer
G. Gladys Oddy	C. Elizabeth Chiles
G. Helen Jun	G. Loraine Stamps
G. Ruth Joesting	G. Ruth Flory
SOPHOMORES.	G. Viola Bierbaum
F. Anna Cobeck (Captain)	SENIORS.
F. Hazel Challacombe	F. Gertrude Luer
F. Bessie Dykeman	F. Helen Rose
C. Margaret Moran	F. Margaret Rogerson
G. Elizabeth Gissal	C. Harrie Downs (Captain)
G. Meta Beiser	G. Gladys Garstang
G. Bernice Nunn	G. Edna McClure
	G. Katherine Moorhead

Mr. Richardson gave his consent for the public to attend the class games, so the boys furnished an appreciative audience.

The games were played, and at the last the championship rested between the Juniors and the Seniors. The Juniors were confident of winning, because after diligent practice and hard work they thought they could win from their less efficient opponents, who had practiced very little and had no regular team during all the games.

This game was perhaps the most surprising of the games. It was a hard fight from the first and when time was called the score was 9-12 in favor of the Seniors. This gave them the championship.

Mr. Brannan refereed this game, as Miss Peck was taken sick, and could not attend. He deserves much credit, and his work was greatly appreciated by the girls.

Eunice Vine, captain of the Freshmen team, developed into a gritty little player, and will be an efficient member of teams to come.

Anna Cobeck, the Sophs' captain, has the honor of being an excellent player at any position on the team.

Verna Foreman, the Juniors' captain, kept her reputation of being one of the best forwards of the school.

The Senior captain needs no introduction. Harrie Downs was one of their best players, and the way she and Helen Pfeiffer and Betty Chiles fought was one of the comical features of their game.

A spread was held after the last game, which was enjoyed by the girls and some boys???? The only thing that kept it from being a success was the absence of Miss Peck. We hope that the coaching of these teams will not affect her so hereafter.

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"Too bad, Mr. Rowe left before I could completely 'vamp' him."—Nina Herrick.

"A dashing damsel! and loved by all."—Edna McClure.

"A prince to all! (Maybe)—Henry Wade.

"A regular lodestone when it comes to fellows."—Thelma Eppel.

"Oh—why don't girls like farmers"?—Elmer Kruse.

"Smart—not brainy."—Clement Meriwether.

Modern History Question: "What law made the girls all lame on or about the 31st of March?"

Mr. Oertli: "Give answer to the second problem."

Some Smart Pupil: "Seven and a half."

Harley C.: "Gimme the deal."

(Why, Harley, of what are you thinking.)



## Class Basket Ball

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Class basket ball opened Tuesday, Dec. 4th, 1917, with the following schedule:

Seniors vs. Sophomores  
Juniors vs. Freshmen.

As every one expected, the Seniors and Juniors won.

On Wednesday the Seniors met the Freshies and the Juniors the Sophs. The Seniors put their second team in the first half, but the Freshmen were having things their own way, so the first team went in and cleaned things up. The Junior and the Sophomore game was hard fought from start to finish. Wells was starring for the Sophs and Stafford for the Juniors.

The Juniors were defeated by the Seniors and the Freshmen by the Sophs. (The Juniors held their own in their game.)

The games closed with the Seniors holding the championship and the Juniors second, Sophs third, and the Freshmen fourth place.

The class captains were:

Seniors.....	James Chiles
Juniors.....	Arthur Zoll
Sophomores.....	T. Wells
Freshmen.....	Oswald McManis

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"As 'Tommy' says, have you no clothes brush?"—Hugh Kauffman.

"One girl in a MILLION."—Mildred Gill.

"My highest ambition is to be a burlesque Queen."—L. Bissinger.

"My, but my head is wooden."—Harry Worden.

Again love has changed my nobler mind.—Edward Levis.

I wonder if Deac would object if there was anything in the "Tatler" pertaining to Miss Lowry?

# Our War Work



Helen Miller

## Roll of Honor

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### Graduates in the Service of the U. S.

Allen, Stanley	Lemp, John
Baker, Earl	Levis, William
Bauer, Edwin	Lewis, Percy
Betts, Elden	Lowry, Robt. L., Jr.
Braun, George	McKinney, Torrey
Bristow, Martin	Masel, Theodore
Busse, Bert	Megowen, Arch
Clayton, George	Megowen, Earl
Clevenger, Joe	Meyers, Harold
Cole, Herman	Netzhammer, Ernest
Coleman, James	Norton, Fred
Coulter, Isaae	Osborn, Nield
Coulter, Frank	Perrin, Courtney
Curdie, Harold	Pool, Roscoe
Davis, Ralph	Quigley, Matthews
Degenhardt, Edgar	Ryan, Richard
Dodson, Leo	Ryrie, John
Dooling, Paul	Robertson, Alex
Ellison, Wilbur	Schaefer, William
Enos, Louis	Schweppe, Nelson
Farley, Rogers	Scott, Paul
Forbes, James	Smith, George
Gaddis, Robert	Smith, Groves
Gary, Rex	Smith, Ralph
Gaskins, Sidney	Smith, Theodore
Gillham, Clark	Stafford, Edward
Goff, Robert	Stanton, Thomas
Goudie, Harry	Stephens, Edgar
Gratian, Edward	Stoeckel, D. Edwin
Gregory, Winfrey	Stowell, Frank
Harford, Lyle	Strecker, Robert
Harris, Harvey	Taylor, Lucia
Hartman, Carl	Taylor, Marcus
Hastings, J. Barnard	Tipton, Warren
Hearne, William	Volz, Carl
Henry, Tom	Wade, Vernon
Hopkins, Kendall	Walter, George
Johnson, Douglas	Webb, Eugene
Johnson, Harry	Webb, Ralph
Juttemeyer, George	Wightman, Cecil
Kauffold, Henry	Wightman, Carroll
Koch, Erwin	Wood, Walter
Kuhn, Harry	Wuerker, Adolph
	Zerwkh, Paul

## Non-Graduates in the Service of the U. S.

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Aldous, Joe	Korte, Willis
Baker, Wm.	Levis, Parker
Blakely, Walter	Lewis, Robert
Boals, La Rue	Lingogle, Earl
Bramhall, Jason	Loarts, Walter
Browne, Walter	Longfellow, William
Burns, Louis	Matthews, Stephen
Calame, Corbett	Mohr, Joseph
Cartwright, George	Morgan, James
Cuthberson, Earl	Neff, Paul
Day, Walter	Rintoul, Dudley
Demuth, George	Rubenstein, Abraham
Getsinger, Harry	Scherrer, Joe
Gill, Edmond	Scherrer, Karl
Dodge, Frank	Schlag, Harry
Dodge, Harold	Sinclair, John
Goudie, Harry	Sparks, David
Gwinner, Harry	Strubel, Alois
Haeberle, Fred	Uzzell, Robert
Harris, Malcolm	Webb, Harrison
Henry, Murray	Frank Williamson
Hoefert, Harold	Winkler, Leland
James, Edward, Jr.	Wright, William
Koehne, Ed	Yackel, George
Koenig, Erwin	

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"From one extreme to the other."—Joe Clyne and any Freshi.

"Mr. Kopp's idea of good looks."—Velma Deeds.

"Is there any one who doesn't like him?"—Jim Chiles.

"A bashful, bashful boy."—"Bill" Shaw.

# **War Sacrifices**

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Y. M. C. A.—\$2,300 Subscribed.

Red Cross—100 per cent.

Thrift Stamps—About \$1,000.

Smileage Books.

Liberty Loan Parade Float.

Liberty Day Parade—All of School  
Participating.

U. S. Boys' Working Reserve.

Girls' Komfort-Kit Work.

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## **Have We Done Our Share?**

## One Liberty Bond

During the campaign for the sale of Liberty Bonds in Alton during the second issue, two Four-Minute Men were selling bonds in the lobby of a moving picture theater. During the performance one of the men made a speech urging the people to purchase the bonds and the sale in the lobby was gratifying.

Two small boys, who might be called urchins, were standing beside the table at which the man taking the subscriptions sat. They stood there for fully an hour and watched intently as each bond was sold. One man, well dressed, walked to the table and briskly inquired:

"Have you the bond there? I mean the bond itself."

He was told that no bonds were available but that arrangements would be made with any bank he chose and the bond would be forwarded to him later.

"No, I want the bond. If you had them here I would buy a hundred-dollar one and pay cash for it, but I can't wait." He further explained that he was leaving the city that night for St. Louis, his home. He walked off in the same brisk manner.

The two little fellows continued to look and stood wide-eyed as the stranger talked of a sum to great as a hundred dollars.

Finally the two had a consultation and the larger came to the table and said:

"Say, Mister, ye don't have to pay for a bond all at once, do you?"

He was told that a bond could be bought on the installment plan.

"And I pay a dollar now, and a dollar a week?"

The Four-Minute Man gave an affirmative reply.

"Well, you see, Mister, I have to work and keep my mother and little brother. My mother works too, but she don't make as much as I do." (Here the little fellow's chest swelled.)

"So if I get sick I don't have to keep payin' do I?"

He was told no, and walked off with his brother and a consultaion followed.

Presently the two boys came back and watched some more. Eventually the larger of the two turned to his brother and said:

"Jim, lend me two-bits, I only got seventy-five, and I'll buy a bond." The brother advanced the twenty-five cents and the bond was subscribed for, and the two youngsters walked off proudly.

When the youngsters reached home they broke the news to their widowed mother who began to wonder where the dollar each week was coming from. When the two boys promised to dispense with their weekly moving picture show the mother decided there was something

she could do without so they planned and planned and the bond was paid for.

Did the stranger who wanted to pay cash in such a hurry buy? We wonder.

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Two Sammies lay in their dugout, "Somewhere in France." They were, in reality, in a southeast corner of the Toul sector. A few days before they had partaken, successfully, in the first raid upon German trenches. One of them, an Irish-American lad from New England, was wounded later by a piece of shrapnel. He lay in almost constant pain. His companion, a Yankee from an Eastern state, was doing all in his power for the wounded soldier of democracy, and at the same time keep his eye on the enemy trenches "just across."

They were some distance from the supply depot, and a peculiar circumstance made it virtually impossible, except at the cost of their lives, for them to reach the depot. Also their ammunition was running low. There was not much ammunition at the supply depot. It was during the early days and things were not yet running on the smooth American scale so well known.

At last the ammunition came, with it the news of the success of the Liberty Loans back home. The boys called it Liberty Loan Ammunition.

Ammunition was taken to the dugout where the wounded boy lay. Things were working better now and at nightfall he was to be taken to the hospital. This cheered them up considerably.

Along in the afternoon the attack came. Shielded by a death-dealing barrage fire the enemy infantry charged. They were repelled three times and three times they charged again, always heralded by that awful barrage fire, blinding, blood curdling, deathly.

The enemy finally reached the American trenches. Two of them came over the top of the wounded boy's dugout. They were killed. Killed with the new ammunition, the Liberty Bond ammunition. Many were killed in other trenches and the Germans finally retired, leaving many dead and wounded behind them.

The wounded boy from New England, looking at his pal, said in low tones: "God bless the buyer of the Liberty Bond that bought this ammunition."

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It may have been the bond of the poorly clad youngster that saved the life of those boys, each some "mother's son." The mother and her two sons "pinched" by giving till it hurt, but they saved a life, they helped in the struggle for democracy.

With this spirit prevailing, the same spirit over here and "over there," the outcome of the war cannot be in doubt.

J. D. '16.



BOOK III.  
Societies - Debate - Festivities



# SOCIETIES

Pushmataha, Kanawha,  
Philomathean, Illini, Aletheneae



## Pushmataha



Joseph Clyne

Clement Meriwether

Alberta Brown

### Officers

First Semester

Joseph Clyne  
Clement Meriwether  
Alberta Brown

President  
Vice-President  
Secretary

Second Semester

Clement Meriwether  
Jack Hind  
Harley Caywood



Clement Meriwether

Jack Hind

Harley Caywood

## Pushmataha

Bantz, Maggie	Levis, Preston
Barth, Bertha	Luer, Viola
Bissinger, Leona	McClure, Edna
Black, Charles	Magill, Katherine
Bratfish, Ross	Martin, Emma
Briggs, Bess	Meriwether, Clement
Brown, Alberta	Milford, Ross
Brunner, Adele	Miller, Helen
Campbell, Margaret	Miller, Vern
Caywood, Harley	Moorhead, Mary
Challacombe, Edith	Moran, Margaret
Chiles, James	Munger, Lucy
Clayton, Alfred	Munger, William
Clyne, Joe	Nunn, Bernice
Cobbeck, Anna	Osborn, Lucille
Corbett, Helen	Riehl, Archie
Cox, Edwin	Schaperkotter, Dorothy
Dale, Ruth	Scheurer, Ida
Dehner, William	Schmoeller, Elsie
Derwin, Kathleen	Schmerge, Thelma
Drummond, Mercedes	Schubert, Hazel
Duggan, Gertrude	Shaver, Ella
Everson, Eva	Smith, Tess
Gaddis, Perley	Stafford, Harold
Garstang, Gladys	Steck, Thelma
Goulding, Robert	Straube, Frieda
Gratian, Katherine	Streeper, Israel
Halsey, Charles	Sutton, Gladys
Halsey, Wilbur	Vann, Jack
Hancock, Palmer	Vine, Ben
Herrick, Nina	Wade, Henry
Hind, Jack	Wenzel, Raymond
Hull, Sophia	Whitney, William
Huskinson, Dorothy	Williams, Martha
Jacoby, Phillip	Wise, Clarence
Jones, Stanley	Worden, Harry
Kauffman, Hugh	Wutzler, Lillian
Keller, Helen	Wyckoff, Helen
Levis, Edward	Yeakel, Fred

Yoxall, Florence

## Illini Officers



Vernon Chiles

Gertrude Luer

Harriet Rumsey

### Officers

#### First Semester

Vernon Chiles  
Gertrude Luer  
Harriet Rumsey

President  
Vice-President  
Secretary

#### Second Semester

Helen Rose  
Arthur Zoll  
Gertrude Luer



Helen Rose

Arthur Zoll

Gertrude Luer

## Illini

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| Allred, Agnes     | McDonald, Jessie    |
| Ash, Selma        | Maley, Mark         |
| Bailey, Edna      | Mansholt, Irene     |
| Benner, Dale      | Mayford, Clotilda   |
| Brecht, Paul      | Melling, Mamie      |
| Brecht, Virginia  | Merkle, Roy         |
| Boyd, Theo.       | Moorhead, Katherine |
| Carter, Grace     | Ohnsorg, Edward     |
| Chappel, Una      | Parker, Virginia    |
| Copley, Milford   | Price, Bernice      |
| Dudley, Irene     | Riehl, Norma        |
| Dykeman, Bessie   | Rogerson, Margaret  |
| Elble, Mary       | Rose, Helen         |
| Findley, Sadie    | Rumsey, Harriet     |
| Flach, Verena     | Rust, Flora         |
| Flagg, Katherine  | Rust, Maud          |
| Flory, Ruth       | Rustman, Martha     |
| Forcade, Orland   | Scherrer, Fred      |
| Gascho, Josephine | Schoeffler, Olga    |
| Gent, Ray         | Shaw, Wm.           |
| Haynes, Sadie     | Shirey, Florence    |
| Heide, Irwin      | Skaggs, Dorothy     |
| Hildebrand, Adele | Smith, Leland       |
| Hile, Martin      | Starkey, Etta       |
| Hord, Edmund      | Wagenfeldt, Herbert |
| Johnson, Gertrude | Waggoner, Ralph     |
| Jones, Vaughn     | Weller, Jesse       |
| Keene, Melvel     | Wenzel, Mildred     |
| Kruse, Elmer      | Wightman, Charles   |
| Lehmkuhl, Pauline | Wood, Harrison      |
| Lobbig, Viola     | Young, David        |
| Luer, Gertrude    | Voss, Viola         |
| Zoll, Arthur      |                     |

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"Paint-art oft maketh a fair lady."—Verna Foreman.

## Kanawha Officers



Robert Paul

Clarence Bensinger

Helen Beach

### Officers

First Semester

Robert Paul

Clarence Bensinger

Helen Beach

President

Vice-President

Secretary

Second Semester

Edwin Stillwell

Ralph Volz

Katherine Koch



Edwin Stillwell

Ralph Volz

Katherine Koch

## Kanawha

Amberg, Neva	Mathus, Thula
Arter, Anna	Mather, Nina
Barker, Marie	Malloy, Mildred
Bauer, John	McReynolds, Gladys
Beach, Helen	Morgan, Moselle
Beach, Kenneth	Paul, Robert
Beiser, Meta	Penning, Margaret
Brower, Leonard	Pfeffer, Emma
Bensinger, Clarence	Pfeiffer, Helen
Bierbaum, Viola	Pelot, Alvena
Barth, Edward	Queen, Wilfred
Challacombe, Hazel	Rice, Rose
Clayton, Richard	Richardson, Bertha
Corrie, Cynthia	Roller, Thelma
Chiles, Elizabeth	Sawyer, Emma
Culp, Lester	Stamps, Lorraine
Deeds, Velma	Schweickhardt, Hilda
Dependahl, Serena	Shrigley, Helen
Dolbow, Katherine	Stahl, Archie
Franke, Theodore	Sternberg, Lillian
Fitzgerald, Margaret	Stillwell, Edwin
Foreman, Verna	Shirey, Floyd
Gee, Grace	Tingley, Raymond
Gissal, Elizabeth	Toupno, Evelyn
Goudie, Helen	Vaughn, Lucile
Harris, Emma	Vaughn, Louis
Hoffman, Doris	Volz, Ralph
Hunter, Dorothy	Wadlow, Thelma
Horn, Gertrude	Watkins, Pearl
Joesting, Eugenia	Windsor, Lota
Koehne, Emma	Will, Dorothy
Koch, Helen	Wohnlich, Mary
Kabel, Myron	Wilson, Jeanette
Manning, Francis	Zeltmann, Margarethe
Masel, Helen	Zeller, Adele

## Alethenae Officers



Raymond Metzger

Dudley Harris

Mildred Seiler

### Officers

First Semester

Raymond Metzger  
Dudley Harris  
Mildred Seiler

President  
Vice-President  
Secretary

Second Semester  
Mildred Seiler  
William Weston  
Dudley Harris



Mildred Seiler

William Weston

Dudley Harris

## Alethenae

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Boyd, Vernon	Metzger, Raymond
Brown, Harold	McBrien, Helen
Cassella, Milton	Potter, Charles
Craig, Fern	Seiler, Mildred
Dillon, Eddie	Schwab, George
Gent, Lawrence	Springer, Alfred
Hall, Noah	Stamper, Ruth
Harris, Dudley	Storm, Benjamin
Hendricks, Bessie	Thompson, Robert
Henthorn, Kenneth	White, Virginia
Johnson, Herschel	Windsor, Anabelle
Layton, Marie	Wells, Taucket
Leighty, Helen	Weston, William
Wyckoff, Rodgers	

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"I'm the best looking fellow I've ever seen."—Palmer Hancock.

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"The only man I'm interested in now is Carlyle."—Miss Lowry.

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Most Anyone: "What's your locker mate like?"

Other: "Anybody."

"Well—just about everything I've got." (So say we all!)

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Elmer Kruse (relating his part in the track meet last year)): "And do you know, I could not tell whether the pants behind me were mine or the other fellow's."

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Mr. Houts (in third-hour Physics Class): "Mark, I want you to explain the third problem to me."

Mark: "I'm sorry, Mr. Houts, but I couldn't quite understand that one myself."

## Philomathean Officers



Margaret Beneke

Mildred Williams

Ralph Cantrell

### Officers

#### First Semester

Margaret Beneke  
Mildred Williams  
Ralph Cantrell

President  
Vice-President  
Secretary

#### Second Semester

Mildred Williams  
Christinea Clyne  
David Magill



Mildred Williams

Christine Clyne

David Magill

## Philomathean

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Bantz, Marie	Foster, Lillian
Beneke, Margaret	Gaines, Ruth
Bohlander, Verna	Grace, Maude
Budde, Frank	Hallberg, Florence
Cantrell, Ralph	Hecker, Eleanor
Carr, Alice	Magill, David
Champlin, Viola	Maley, Geraldine
Clyne, Christine	McCurry, Lucile
Curry, Kenneth	Megowen, Roberta
Dalton, Fern	Osborn, Ralph
Deem, Jesse	Rexford, Blanche
Deem, Daisy	Slaten, Marie
Ede, Philip	Stahl, Hazel
Evans, Eugene	Temple, Paul
Elder, Ray	Wempen, Mamie
Ford, Hugh	Williams, Mildred
Zoll, Earl	

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"What is the difference between a kiss and a sewing machine?"  
"One sews seams good and the other seems so good!"

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Question: "What kind of cigarettes does Leland S. smoke?"

Answer: "Robinson Crusoe."

P. S.—For those who don't get the above, it means "cast-aways!"

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Jim Chiles (while away at Centralia) to Leland S.: "Sleep with you tonight? Never, your mouth is like Eagle Lunch Room."

Leland (indignantly): "Why?"

Jim: "Open and busy all night."

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Joe Clyne (last Fall): "Gee! Mil smiled at me today!"

Crabby Junior: "That's nothing. First time I saw you I laughed out loud!"

## Debate

### NEGATIVE TEAM.



Clement Meriwether, Capt.

Robert Goulding

Wilford Queen

### AFFIRMATIVE TEAM.



Mary Belle Wimber, Capt.

Lester Culp

Israel Streeper

## Debate

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On November 8, 1917, the two debating teams were chosen for the year '17-18. There was a great deal of competition among the aspirants for a place. There were ten candidates and six places.

After the preliminaries the teams worked in earnest and the motto was, "We Will Win."

East St. Louis High School presented the question to Alton this year. Resolved, "That Ireland should be granted its independence." Alton, keeping up to her motto, was ready by the Christmas holidays for the debate, which was to be held on January 16, 1918. During the holidays, a letter was received from the East Side principal stating that his teams refused to debate the question. Evidently they were not ready, although they had presented the question. Think of it, and then not being ready!

In his letter he stated that the question was unpatriotic. When the news was sent to the home teams, they were "disgusted" with the East Side.

On the morning of January 17, 1918, Miss Ferguson went before the Assembly and made a very fine talk, stating that East St. Louis had forfeited the debate and that the two teams were entitled to their letters. The teams were:

Affirmative: Mary Belle Wimber, Captain; Lester Culp, Israel Streeter.

Negative: Clement Meriwether, Captain; Robert Goulding, Wilford Queen.

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"Verily, he is well nick-named."—"Art" Zoll.

"Little children should be seen—not heard" (coming!)—Edwin Cox and Lester Culp.

"The only difference between Harley and Vernon Castle is their dancing."

## AFFIRMATIVE DEBATING TEAM.



Harold Stafford, Captain

William Dehner

Lucile Osborn

On the evening of April 25th, the debate between the affirmative team of Alton High and the negative team of Jerseyville took place at the High School Auditorium. There was a small number present, but they made up in enthusiasm what they lacked in numbers. The judges were Rev. Mr. Wakefield and E. P. Ropiequet of East St. Louis, and Prof. Boehm of Kirkwood (Mo.) High School. The time-keepers were Mr. Baldwin of Jerseyville and Mr. Oertli of Alton.

The debate was opened by Harold Stafford for the affirmative with a good telling speech in favor of the government ownership of railroads. This was answered by a speaker on the negative from Jerseyville. Wilford Queen spoke next on the affirmative, with fine effort. He was answered by the next speaker on Jerseyville's side. The last speech on the affirmative was well given by Lucile Osborn, followed by the last speech on negative. After a spirited rebuttal on both sides, the decision of the judges was given, two for the affirmative and one for the negative. The debate was well given on both sides and the decision was generally satisfactory.

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"Patriotic parents name baby 'Liberty Bond.' "—Chicago Journal.  
First, last and only bond which takes 21 years to mature.

## NEGATIVE DEBATING TEAM.



Ben Vine, Captain

Clement Meriwether

Palmer Hancock

The Alton Negative Team, consisting of Ben Vine, Captain; E. Clement Meriwether, and Palmer Hancock, journeyed to Jerseyville on the afternoon of April 25. Alton went under the leadership of Mr. I. S. Haight. The journey was made on a privately owned railroad. The team left with high hopes which were lowered only when the judges' decisions were opened. All who heard the debate said the teams were closely matched, but Alton had all the breaks against them and also being on foreign grounds, lost by a vote of 2 for the affirmative and 1 for the negative.

In the evening Captain Vine, speaking first for Alton, showed that government ownership is unnecessary, unwise, and impracticable. His delivery was good and although troubled by a severe cold made a good impression. On account of his good work this year, next year he will be a good man for either team.

Meriwether, the only experienced man on the team, showed his usual ability in debating and also showed in a forcible manner the undesirable features of government ownership. We regret exceedingly that Meriwether graduates this year and his absence will be very noticeable on the debating teams next year.

Hancock closed the negative argument in a splendid manner. Although inexperienced he spoke with ease and had good delivery. He showed government ownership has only partially succeeded, and where it has been tried and conditions favoring government ownership abroad are lacking here. With two more years before him, Hancock will make a very brilliant debater.

# GIRLS CHORUS

Mary Collins	Bertha Richardson
Helen Getsinger	Anna Cobeck
Nellie Roberts	Bessie Dykeman
Lucille Rintoul	Serena Dependahl
Freda Thorpe	Sadie Haynes
Leona Bissinger	Helen Masel
Elizabeth Chiles	Charlene Haley
Eugenia Joesting	Elinor Rumsey
Lydia Cheesman	Daisy Young
Catherine McCarthy	Emma Martin
Charlotte Rodgers	Rose Rice
Esther Schuette	Lillian Sternberg
Frieda Voss	Mildred Wenzel
Viola Bierbaum	Reatha Osterkamp
Velma Deeds	Iona Warner
Nina Mather	Alvena Pelot
Doris Barnhardt	Emma Pfeffer
Irma Bott	Thelma Wadlow
Norine Dahlstrom	Jeanette Wilson
Ruth Joesting	Hazel Schubert
Rosalie Roller	Helen Beach
Lucille Wagenfeldt	Anna Arter
Viola Zimmerman	Emma Sawyer
Virginia Pfeiffer	Margaret Rogerson
Minnie Brandeweide	Pearl Watkins
Margaret Davis	Lucile Vaughn
Elizabeth Goudie	Katherine Moorhead
Aria Hoehn	Sophia Hull
Olga Ott	Flora Rust
Eunice Vine	Hilda Schweickhardt
Philimon Winkler	Mary Moorhead
Helen Jun	Helen Corbett

Bertha Barth	Gertrude Duggan
Dorothie Gent	Lucile Osborn
Dorothy Skaggs	Josephine Gascho
Etta Starkey	Alberta Brown
Virginia Brecht	Edna McClure
Margaret Penning	Helen Shrigley
Lorraine Stamps	Verena Flach
Mary Wohlnich	Moselle Morgan
Eva Everson	Frances Andre
Katherine Dolbow	Adelaide Tenis
Dorothy Schaperkotter	Edna Bailey
Ida Scheurer	Florence Shirey
Evelyn Toupno	Nina Herrick
Harrie Downs	Mabel Appelquist
Adele Hildebrand	Edith Day
Thelma Schmerge	Gladys Oddy
Lola Windsor	Mildred Miessner
Dorothy Will	Ruth Peters
Edith Challacombe	Helen Andrews
Margaret Fitzgerald	Dorothea Clark
Gertrude Horn	Vena Foulds
Helen Keller	Evelyn Clement
Jessie McDonald	Dorothy Gates
Maud Rust	Carol Lindley
Florence Yoxall	Katherine Norris
Mary Elble	Pearl Savidge
Katherine Gratian	Jane Black
Helen Goudie	Lillian Johnson
Mildred Malloy	Velora Heskett
Frieda Straube	Hazel Challacombe
Martha Williams	Doris Hoffman
Margarethe Zeltmann	Clotilda Mayford
Wilhelmina Grabbe	Gladys Sutton
Emma Koehne	Bernice Nunn
Adele Brunner	Harriet Caldwell
Kathleen Derwin	Sadie Findley
Grace Gee	Dorothy Huskinson
Dorothy Hunter	Katherine Flagg
Pauline Lehmkuhl	Irma Clark
Catherine Uhl	Thelma Eppel



Gerald Byron  
John McFadden  
Carl Tuemmler  
Kenneth Benner  
Wallace Deucker  
William Whitney  
Dale Benner  
Arthur Zoll  
William Miller  
Charles Ross  
Tracey Coultas  
Frederick Zeltmann  
Frederick Yeakel  
Chas. Halsey  
Henry Bennett  
Charles Huskinson  
Charles Campbell  
Oswald McManus  
Joseph Wiseman  
Raymond Wenzel  
Edward Barth  
Joseph Nixon  
Raymond Stocker  
Bernard Stafford  
George Camp  
Leroy Roper  
John Wohnlich

Milford Copley  
Ralph Volz  
Albert Duncan  
Maurice Zumwalt  
Floyd Shirey  
Percy Lancaster  
Wilbur Halsey  
Guy Sevier  
Robert Shaff  
Raymond Tingley  
Edward Levis  
Kenneth Beach  
Robert Goulding  
Robert Paul  
Palmer Hancock  
Philip Jacoby  
Ralph Waggoner  
William Munger  
Estell Watson  
Preston Levis  
Elmer Kruse  
Paul Brecht  
Wilford Queen  
Joseph Yungck  
Henry Wade  
Vaughn Jones  
Louis Vaughn

## Patrons' Night

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On Friday, April 27, the annual Patrons' Night was observed. An estimate of about 2,000 people came to see the exhibits of the Manual Training Department and the Drawing Classes. The Manual Training Department had an extraordinary showing of buffets, dressing tables, writing desks, library tables, cedar chests, and numerous other smaller articles. The Drawing Department had a very fine exhibit from the Grades and High School. A number of working drawings from the Mechanical Drawing Department were shown. About 8:30 o'clock the following program was given:

Music..... America and the Flag  
Girls' Chorus.

Recitation..... Betsy Ross's Story of the Flag  
Adele Hildebrand.

Harp Solo—  
Miss Evelyn Shedd.

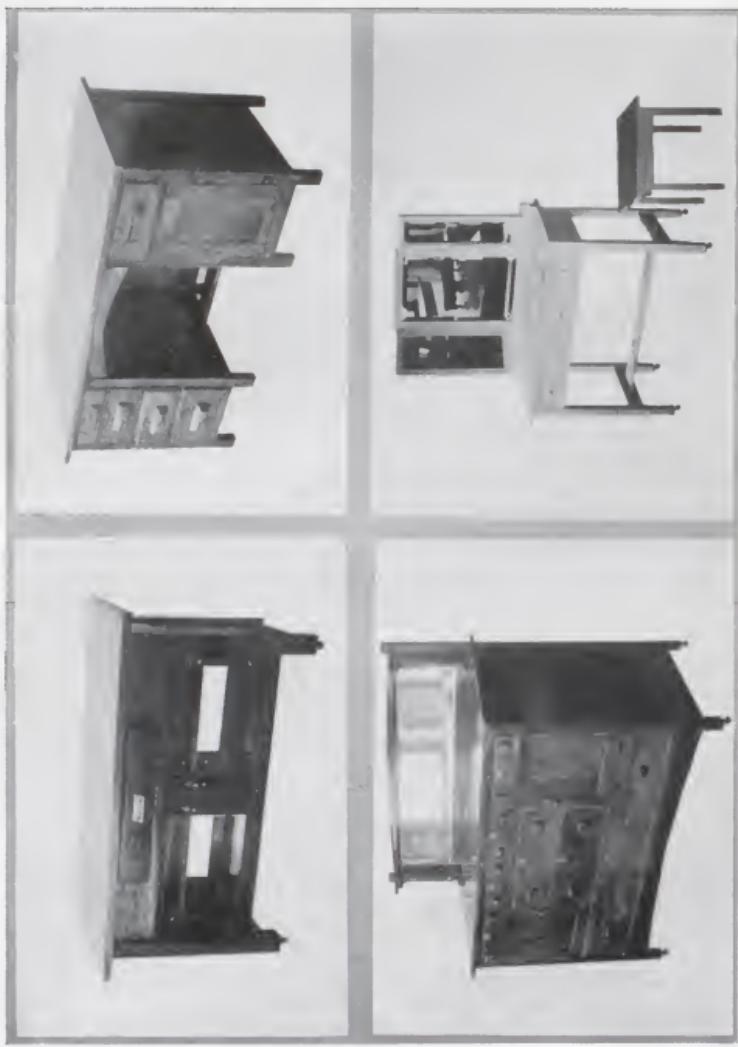
Address..... "The Principles of Prussianism"  
Rev. W. T. Hanstche.

Music..... Illinois  
Girls' Chorus.

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### TWIN NAMES.

"What are the twins' names?"  
"Henrietta."  
"Not both the same name?"  
"Certainly not. One Henry, the other Etta."



## MAY FESTIVAL, MAY 31.

- I. Procession to the Green.  
II. On the Green.  
    The May Queen Pageant.  
        Entrance of Queen and Her Attendants.  
        May Queen Dance.  
        Crowning.  
        Tally Ho Exeunt.  
    Dance—"A Maying"  
III. Frolics on the Green.  
    Dances of the Nations.  
        Spanish Scarf Dance.  
        Scotch—Highland Fling.  
        Italian—Tarantelle.  
        Swedish—Weaving Dance.  
    Dances of the School Year—  
        Autumn Leaves  
        Snowflakes  
        Spring Showers  
        Summer Breezes  
To a Wild Rose  
Dance—Pierrot and Pierrette—  
The April Shower  
Waltz—Maypole  
IV. The Reassembling.  
    Dance of America.

### CAST OF CHARACTERS.

May Queen.....	Olga Schoeffler
Maid of Honor.....	Lucy Munger
Canopy Bearer.....	Norma Riehl

### ATTENDANTS.

Neva Amberg	Grace Gee	Rose Rice
Theo. Boyd	Dorothy Huskinson	Lucille Rintoul
Hazle Challacombe	Clotilda Mayford	Bertha Richardson
Vena Foulds	Helen Miller	Margaretha Zeltman

### SPANISH.

Christena Clyne	Geraldine Maley	Virginia White
Ruth Gaines	Roberta Megowen	Mildred Williams
Eleanor Hecker	Mildred Seiler	Helen McBrien

### SCOTCH.

Helen Andrews	Bessie Dykeman	Gertrude Zaugg
Doris Barnhart	Thelma Eppel	Eunice Vine
Irma Bott	Ruth Joesting	Olga Ott
Irene Dudley	Lillian Johnson	Helen Jun

### ITALIAN.

Anna Arter	Viola Luer	Flora Rust
Meta Beiser	Vern Miller	Emma Sawyer
Katherine Gratian	Irene Norman	Dorothy Skaggs
Margaret Johnston	Helen Pfeiffer	Nina Herrick

### SWEDISH.

Jane Black	Norine Dahlstrom	Katherine Norris
Harriet Caldwell	Helen Getsinger	Daisy Young
Dorothea Clark	Elizabeth Goudie	Philimon Winkler
Lyda Cheeseman	Catherine McCarthy	Nellie Roberts

### AUTUMN LEAVES.

Frances Andre	Verna Foreman	Lorraine Stamps
Anna Cobeck	Adele Hildebrand	Florence Yoxall
Edith Day	Reatha Osterkamp	Helen Shrigley
Verena Flach	Thelma Schmerge	Lillian Wutzler

### SNOWFLAKES.

I Helen Beach	Ruth Dale	Maud Rust
Leone Bissinger	Mercedes Drummond	Elinor Rumsey
Adele Brunner	Gladys Garstang	Elsie Schmoeller
Helen Corbett	Helen Masel	Iona Warner

### SUMMER BREEZES.

Marie Barker	Mary Collins	Mamie Melling
Louise Bertman	Gertrude Duggan	Charlotte Rodgers
Alberta Brown	Sophia Hull	Martha Rustman
Edith Challacombe	Gertrude Luer	Thelma Wadlow

### WILD ROSES.

Helen Goudie	Gertrude Horn	Helen Rose
	Lillian Sternberg	

### PIERROT AND PIERRETTE.

Helen Keller	Margaret Rogerson
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### THE APRIL SHOWER

Elizabeth Bassett	Edith Cousley	Olive Crivello
Mary Helen Foulds	Emily Louise Hewitt	Erma Painter
Virginia Parrish	Lydia Schaperkotter	Helen Tremmel
Anne Whitney	Lucille Young	Dorothy Zaugg

### MAYPOLE.

Viola Bierbaum	Doris Hoffman	Emma Pfeiffer
Elizabeth Chiles	Dorothy Hunter	Helen Pfeiffer
Serena Dependahl	Helen Koch	Dorothy Schaperkotter
Katherine Dolbow	Katherine Magill	Lucile Vaughn
Sadie Findley	Emma Martin	Martha Williams
Ruth Flory	Katherine Moorhead	Lola Windsor
Elizabeth Gissal	Moselle Morgan	Jeanette Wilson
Emma Harris	Alvena Pelot	Thula Mathus

### NATIONS

Canada—Helen Wyckoff.	Scotland—Eunice Vine.
England—Margaret Campbell,	Italy—Nina Herrick.
Belgium—Virginia Sauvage.	France—Thelma Steck.
America—Perley Gaddis.	



## Some of the Historic Sites and Homes of Alton

Prepared by Ninian Edwards Chapter, D. A. R.

The original site of Alton, laid out in 1817 by Col. Rufus Easton, extended from Piasa street on the west to Henry on the east, and from the river to Ninth street on the north.

1. "Lovers' Leap," on the bluff opposite foot of Summit street, famed in Indian legend.
2. "Piasa Bird," Indian painting, was depicted on face of bluff about 150 feet west of Lovers' Leap. Long since blasted away. First mentioned in history by Marquette in 1673.
3. Penitentiary plat, site of first State prison in Illinois; erected 1827; military prison during civil war.
4. Sparks' mill occupies site of warehouse where E. P. Lovejoy was killed in pro-slavery riot of Nov. 7, 1837.
5. The buildings on Second street owned by L. Stiritz and Melling & Gaskins Printing Co. occupy site of Lovejoy's printing office.
6. Lincoln Hotel on State street, formerly the Franklin House, was Lincoln's headquarters at time of Lincoln-Douglas debate, Oct. 15, 1858.
7. City Hall, erected 1858. The Lincoln-Douglas debate took place on east front of this building, Oct. 15, 1858. Marked by bronze tablet.
8. Illinois Corrugated Paper Co. is located on site of old Alton House, headquarters of Douglas on date of debate.
9. Stanford building, corner Second and Alby, occupies site of hall where first lodge of I. O. O. F. in Illinois was organized in 1837.
10. Vacant lot adjoining Times Building on Second street was site of first brick building erected in Alton proper in 1832. Birthplace of Edward P. Wade, President Alton National Bank.
11. Building on east side of Market street, two doors north of Third, is oldest brick building now standing in Alton proper; erected 1833.

12. Spring at corner Second and Spring streets, now covered over, was scene in 1811 of killing of a settler named Price and wounding of his son, who escaped, by Indian war party. This opened the border warfare of 1812. Indians were pursued to the mouth of the Illinois by Rangers.

13. Hunter's Tavern, corner of Second and Central avenue, erected by Maj. C. W. Hunter in 1819, is oldest building now standing in what is now Alton.

14. First lime burned in Alton was in quarry, corner Third and Pear streets, about 1818.

15. City Cemetery. Site of Lovejoy monument, erected by State of Illinois and citizens of Alton, 1896-7. Cost, \$30,000.

16. Frame tenement on west side Cherry street, between Second and Third, occupies site of former home of Lovejoy.

17. Milton, the vanished village, was located on Wood River at present bridge crossing; founded about 1816. At one time, 1819, boasted a hotel, two stores, saw mill, grist mill and distillery. Most of early inhabitants died of malaria, and are buried in adjacent hill-side cemetery.

18. Vaughn cemetery, one mile east of East Alton, where victims of Wood River massacre of July 10, 1814, were buried.

19. Mouth of Wood River. Site of camp of Lewis and Clark exploring expedition in 1803-4, preparatory to ascending Missouri river. There was a settlement here, known as Dubois (the woods), where Gen. Zebulon M. Pike narrowly escaped assassination by Indians in 1806.

20. Homestead of Lyman Trumbull, U. S. Senator for 18 years, corner of Henry and Union streets, now owned by H. J. Bowman.

21. Edwards Homestead, Liberty street, nearly opposite Twelfth, erected by Hon. Cyrus Edwards in 1837.

22. Homestead of David J. Baker, U. S. Senator, Clement Place, removed there from Liberty street.

23. In Upper Alton home of Dr. Erastus Brown, first physician there, was on east side Washington avenue, between Edwards and Brown street; was living there in 1821. Brown street was named after him.

24. Presbyterian Church, College avenue, occupied site of church destroyed by fire in 1858. Lovejoy was pastor, or supply, of this church at time of death. Here he made his last memorable address in defense of his principles.

25. Stone building on College avenue, diagonally opposite Presbyterian Church. Here was organized the first anti-slavery society in Illinois, Oct. 27, 1837; it was then the residence of Rev. T. B. Hurlbut; now owned by Dr. Isaac Moore.

26. Shurtleff College, pioneer College of Illinois, founded at Rock Spring, 1827, removed to Upper Alton 1832.

27. Wood River Fort, on Gill farm, two miles east of Upper Alton; war of 1812.

28. Monument on Fosterburg road, two miles northeast of Upper Alton, erected by descendants of Capt. Abel Moore, in memory of the victims of the Wood River massacre of July 10, 1814. Dedicated Sept. 11, 1910.

29. Rock Spring Park, rendezvous of Illinois State troops preparatory to departure for Mexican war, 1846-7.

30. State House Square, corner Central and College avenues, donated to State of Illinois in expectation of location there of State Capitol when seat of government was removed from Vandalia.

31. Staunton street, from College avenue west, was cleared of timber by Gov. John M. Palmer and his brother when the former was a student at Shurtleff College.

32. Confederate Monument at North Alton was erected by the U. S. Government in memory of the 1354 Southern soldiers who died in Alton military prison during the Civil War. The handsome entrance was donated by the Sam Davis Chapter, Daughters of the Confederacy.

33. Elmhurst, State street, homestead of Mrs. A. K. Root. On this tract stood the home of Gen. James Semple, United States Senator.

34. Monticello Seminary, at Godfrey, five miles from Alton. Founded by Benjamin Godfrey, 1835. Oldest seminary for young ladies in the West.

35. The first public school building erected in Alton was on the square now occupied by Lincoln School. It was a one-story, one-room brick building, erected in 1845, on land deeded to the city at a nominal price by Judge Nathaniel Pope.

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Lovers must have leave to speak.—Tatler Board.

Speak low if you speak love.—Robert Goulding.

A minister, but yet a man.—Archie Stahl.

I weep for memory.—Lester Culp.

# CALENDAR

- Oct. 3- Harriet R. writes a speech and asks the girls to knit for the boys at the front while she is knitting a scarf for herself. Ah, yes; perhaps she is making preparations to leave herself. Oh, what a husky looking nurse!
- Oct. 4—Mrs. Dorsey gives a little talk on food conservation, but not many students wanted it to soak in. Less eats. It can't be done.
- Oct. 5—More Patriotism. Pepper yelling at noon. (Caused by good lunches.)
- Oct. 8—Rotten yelling, after wonderful game with McKinley High.
- Oct. 9—Elmer Kruse bushingly peeps into Assembly Room, too bashful to enter.
- Oct. 10—"Rosie" Milford, taking an Algebra test in the Assembly room, raised his hand and said out loud: "What should we do with the twelfth one?"
- Oct. 11—Boo! Weather much colder.
- Oct. 12—Some of the little boys thought that it was necessary to test the new fire escape, so they played catch on it and gave the report as being very strong.
- Oct. 13—Ah, ha! Members of Tatler Board hold their first meeting.
- Oct. 16—Manager Rowe and Coach Brannan ran away with Eskimos of Woodriver fliver.
- Oct. 17—Mr. Haight states it is better to be broke than cracked.
- Oct. 22—Again we gained a victory Saturday. We defeated Peoria, 18—6.
- Oct. 22—Mr. H. makes a very good speech in regard to some of the girls not sticking to our school, but keeping the path warm up to W. M. A. They do not charge any admission to their games up there and Mr. H. suggested the manager give each one of the five girls that went up to W. M. A. a complimentary ticket. Now, just what is the attraction up there? (Wonder.)
- Oct. 23—Bob G. makes his first speech in the Assembly Room in regard to the night at the Princess, which was October 26th.
- Oct. 26—L. Blissinger was caught reading "The Revelations of a Wife." She must think it a very good policy to be prepared. But who is he?
- Oct. 30—M. Ruebel to Ed Levis: "Edward, dear, I'm 18 now, you know."
- Nov. 1—Every one is dull and gloomy after three days' vacation.
- Nov. 1—Last Saturday we played St. Louis U. Freshmen and beat them as usual, 41—7.
- Nov. 2—Mr. H. stubbed his toe on the platform, but all was done very gracefully.
- Nov. 2—Mr. Eden gave very fine talk on Home Guards. He was assisted by Mr. E. L. Rose.

- Nov. 3—Miss Lowry to 3-1 English class: "Next Thursday we will have Bacon the whole period." Isn't she extravagant—not at all conserving.
- Nov. 4—Gertrude D.: "Oh, kid, I hate this cold weather—it makes my nose so red."
- Nov. 6—Harrison Wood, another member of the weak-kneed club, met his doom on the steps north of the Assembly Room. Pupils are urged to donate onions to this club to make them stronger.
- Nov. 6—"Any truth in the report that Miss Shedd eloped with a boarder?" "No, it was only a roomer."
- Nov. 9—Miss Gilham rushed into assembly room, almost hysterical. "I've lost my hearing," she shouted. "You have?" B. C. shouted back. "How do you know?" "See that man out there playing that hand organ? Well, I can't hear a note," and she wept afresh. "That's a moving picture photographer at work," laughed B. C.
- Nov. 12—Miss Moffett is very good looking, as everyone knows, and they also know the beauty of Mr. Rowe. Well, they were very devoted to each other and as they sat and held hands and watched the Alton-Taylorville game at the Three-Eye League park, Mr. Rowe says: "Ah, there is Jim Chiles—he's a bird; and there is Barker, our end man—he'll be our best man before long." Miss Moffett gasped: "Well, I—I guess he'll be all right, but this is so sudden."
- Nov. 12—Ah, ha! We held Taylorville 7—7.
- Nov. 13—Mr. R. A. Haight gave a very interesting talk on the history of the Football in Alton High. He stated that the team is the best that Alton has ever seen or probably will see.
- Nov. 15—Manager Rowe makes plea for all football men to come out and practice for the East St. Louis game.
- Nov. 20—We defeated the Southern Illinois champs, East St. Louis, 15—7.
- Nov. 20—Mr. Houts makes a good speech in regard to East St. Louis game and to the attendance of the game. He stated that it should be called the city team instead of the Alton High team, because there were more town people attended the games than there were High School students.
- Nov. 21—First group of pictures were taken for The Tatler.
- Nov. 22—Again we celebrated for Saturday's game with Belleville. All boys interested in good looking girls should turn out at this game. Saying lot for Alton GIRLS.
- Nov. 23—Our second team did some honorable work. It defeated Belleville, 51—0.
- Nov. 25—Mr. Oertli takes fatal step at last. The solemn occasion took place Saturday, November 23d. He and his loving bride eloped to St. Louis and were married. Doesn't that sound thrilling? But don't get excited, girls—it's all a mistake.
- Nov. 25—Belleville's team got here all right, but it was too cold to bring their much-talked-of girls.
- Nov. 26—Tatler pictures on a stand-still—too dark to take them.
- Nov. 26—Tomorrow, Turkey Day. The last game of the season will be played with Beardstown. Stiff game expected, but we can beat 'em.

- Nov. 27—Mr. L. S. H. in Modern History class: "Ah, never in the history of Alton High have pupils made such brilliant remarks." (He's not a bit sarcastic.)
- Nov. 27—No more school till Monday.
- Dec. 3—Final celebration of football season. Big parade around assembly room up and down each aisle. Elaborate speeches made by each member of the team. Stanips suggests a banquet would be pretty good. But no; it seems that no one heard his suggestion.
- Dec. 4—Class basket-ball begins. Seniors beat Sophs., 31—4. Juniors beat Freshies, 43—4.
- Dec. 5—Class celebrations. Each class to itself. The Sophs. and the Freshies did not take part. Other class games at 3:30. Seniors vs. Freshmen. Juniors vs. Sophs.
- Dec. 5—Tatler on a standstill. No more pictures until after Xmas. So the boss says.
- Dec. 6—Again the honorable Juniors won from the Sophs., 16—30. Seniors, 24; Freshies, 14.
- Dec. 7—Juniors beat Seniors to yelling and they got sore about it.
- Dec. 7—Sad, but true. Seniors won class championship by score of 24—11. Juniors put up good fight.
- Dec. 8—Miss Ferguson, although not captain of the Faculty team, challenged the Seniors for a game Monday at 4:00 o'clock. Dick C. got up and said they would gladly accept the challenge. Only time can tell what fate will come.
- Dec. 10—Everybody almost frozen to death, but thawed out a little after noon.
- Dec. 11—Faculty played the Seniors: Faculty, 20; Seniors, 17.
- Dec. 12—Girls' basketball season opens. Many Sophs. and Freshies are out to practice.
- Dec. 13—Miss Lowry invests more money, but this time on a larger pair of goggles. How could she do it?
- Dec. 13—Several signs tacked up in girls' dressing room by some unknown kill-joy. "No loud talking" and "No shouting allowed."
- Dec. 14—Mr. Giberson gave very fine talk on Red Cross. Alton High is taking a helping hand and expects to be very successful.
- Dec. 17—Sad, but true—the snow is melting.
- Dec. 18—Faculty play the 'varsity team in basket-ball.
- Dec. 19—Faculty are a bunch of soreheads because they got beat by the 'varsity team, 19—12.
- Dec. 20—Who would have ever thought that Bill Munger would get a haircut? But he did.
- Dec. 21—Very busy getting donations for the poor of Alton.
- Dec. 22—Someone being very thoughtful gave Mr. L. S. H. a bottle of hair tonic for Xmas.
- Dec. 22—Great victory over Jerseyville in basket-ball, 32—29.
- Dec. 23—No more school till January 3d. Postponed till January 7th. Total contribution of Alton High to the poor, \$114.70.

- Jan. 7—After an extended Xmas vacation, everyone tries to get down to work again. No one else being generous enough to get the smallpox, we all have to suffer.
- Jan. 8—Ralph Volz sleeps in assembly room. More vacation wanted.
- Jan. 9—Lucile Osborn, deeply in thought about the boys, falls over a bucket that was standing in the hall. Almost demolishing the bucket, and hurt Mr. Lorch's feelings.
- Jan. 10—Mr. Houts hardly recognized when he got up to make a speech in regard to military training. Many boys are expected to join.
- Jan. 10—Floyd S. tried to skate across the floor of the assembly room, but it did not work.
- Jan. 11—Some blizzard. Everybody is three-fourths frozen.
- Jan. 14—A. H. S. defeats the Alumni, 33—32.
- Jan. 14—Mr. H. to Helen Miller: "Helen, what are you chewing?" "Nothing, Mr. H." Margaret Fitzgerald chiming in: "Ah, she is chewing her cud."
- Jan. 16—Edward Levis becomes top-heavy and falls over during opening exercises.
- Jan. 16—Ted Franke rescues a girl from falling downstairs. How peacefully she fell into his arms.
- Jan. 18—Many sad looking students. Reports of finals given out.
- Jan. 28—Ah, ha! We beat Edwardsville, 29—6. My, but they were surprised.
- Jan. 29—Everyone in motion fixing out program cards.
- Feb. 1—Aga'n the girls of A. H. S. partake in the legal holiday of the season—kid day. Boys did not partake.
- Feb. 3 }  
Feb. 4 } Dr. Homer gave interesting series of talks to the girls.  
Feb. 5 }
- Feb. 4—Mr. Rowe gives farewell talk.
- Feb. 4—Elizabeth Chiles invents a new axiom in Geometry, "Because it was proved yesterday."
- Feb. 11—Mr. L. S. H. makes a plea for the students of A. H. S. to buy Thrift Stamps, also Smileage Books for the soldiers in camp.
- Feb. 14—"Unknown" put an alarm clock in the assembly room, and at 1:20 it went off. The teachers all thought it was the Signal.
- Feb. 22—George Washington program—short, but snappy.
- March 18—Celebrations of the Girls' Basket-Ball season. Seniors vs. Juniors, 12—9. Showing that the Seniors were champs by three points.
- March 18—Dell Brunner to Elmer Kruse: "Dimples, dear, how are you this morning?"
- March 18—New visitor at school, old and gray, reading with a magnifying glass. Guess the School Board will put her on with the faculty.

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Name.	Wants to Be.	Probably Will Be.	Favorite Pastime.	Distinguishing Trait.	Chief Worry.
Izzy Streeter.....	Public Speaker.....	An Undertaker.....	Bragging.....	Laugh.....	"Tatler".
Harriet Runsey.....	Nurse.....	Salvationist (?).....	Explaining.....	Size.....	Music.
Jim Chiles.....	Basket Ball Star.....	Cootie Chaser.....	Dynamite.....	Gracefulness (?) .....	Nothing.
Charlene Haley.....	Good Looking.....	Waitress.....	Flirting.....	Hair.....	Boys.
Louise Bertman.....	Popular.....	Kiddish.....	Powdering.....	Beauty (?) .....	The Navy.
Margaret Rogerson.....	Noticed.....	Ignored.....	Dancing.....	Eyes.....	Preston.
Ben Vine.....	{ Debaters .....	"Chicken Callers".....	Fussing.....	Wit.....	Chemistry.
Harold Stafford.....	"Anything".....	Heart Breaker.....	Breaking Dates.....	Good Nature.....	(?).
Edwin Stilwell.....	Toe Dancer.....	Stage Hand.....	Powdering Her Nose.....	Walk.....	"Looks".
Olga Schoeffter.....	Musician.....	A Wonder.....	Helping Others.....	Brains.....	Grades.
Florence Shirey.....	Giant.....	Midget.....	"Well, Kidd".....	Height.....	
Neva Ambieg.....	Slim.....	"Hippo".....	Giggling.....	Mouth.....	Date.
Ruth Dale.....	Base-ball Star.....	Pot Slinger.....	Spooning.....	Blushing.....	Theo.
Jack Hind.....	Ticket Seller.....	Tent Pitcher.....	Bluffing.....	Slowness (?) .....	Edith.
Bob Goudling.....	Opera Singer.....	Human Shriek.....	Posing.....	Smile.....	Studies (?).
Virginia Sauvage.....	Juliet II.....	Cleopatra.....	Studying.....	"Well, Mr. Haight".	New Dances.
Helen Rose.....	Doll.....	Clown.....	"Rouking".....	"Species".....	Complexion.
Gertrude Duggan.....	"A Lot".....	"Nothing".....	Winking.....	Entertaining Others.....	"His Sister" (?).
Bill Munger.....	Ladies' Man (?) .....	Street Sweeper.....	Smoking.....	Speed.....	Books (?).
Hugh Kauffman.....	Minister.....	Trench Digger.....	Loving.....	Small Feet.....	Girls.
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### THEY ALL LOOK THE PART.

"I couldn't serve as a juror, Judge. One look at that fellow convinces me he's guilty."

"Sh-h—, that's the attorney for the State."

"No use, girls, Tiny's got him." "Who?" "Ted."

In Modern History (Ross Milford to Ted Franke): "Sit down, you've said your nickel's worth."

Estelle Lynn (in Physics): "At what temperature can you boil eggs on ice?"

Mr. Houts: "It's impossible."

Nov. 27, 1917. Miss Jepson must have kept late hours last night, because she went to sleep while giving a test.

L. H. "Where was the Naval battle fought?"

Harold Stamps: "On the water, of course."

Tiny Clyne, as David Magill passes down aisle: "Oh, here comes that dear little boy!"

### TED TO TINY.

"What you say, goes," Ted sadly said,

With eyes and heart aflame,

"Tiny" glanced up at the parlor clock,

And quickly spoke his name.

First Pupil: "Why is it no one laughs at L. S.'s jokes anymore?"

Second Pupil: "Well, I guess it's because they respect old age."

Izzy: "I want a funny picture for this joke."

Art Zoll: "That's what I'm here for."

Izzy: "I know, but we don't use photographs."

Helen W. "You drive awfully fast, don't you?"

Izzy: "Yes, I hit seventy yesterday."

Helen W.: "Did you kill any of them?"

Bare are the stretching limbs of the trees—

The fields be naked, unfrocked,

The shrubs stand bare to the insolent breeze,

No wonder the corn is shocked!

Jack Vann is an awful kidder—he will even string a mandolin.

"What was the price of a Dame's downfall?" "One bone."

Thelma is an attractive girl as she knits, and Leland grew more and more conscious of the fact, but her fleeting hands raveled so fast with the colored yarns that his vision became blurred and he blurted out: "Say, if I look at you much longer, Steck, I'll get cross-eyed."

Are they still each other's pet affinity? Nit! Nit!

Mark Maley had Nina Herrick out. The next day at school when he speaks, she cries out angrily: "I should think you'd be ashamed to look me in the face or to speak to me on the street?"

Mark: "I am kinda', but I've got to be courteous."

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Exit Leland.

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Helen W.: "How's Glee Club getting along, Bill?"  
Bill Munger: "Oh, it's a howling success."  
("Verily, we believe him!")

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Ig.: "Have you seen May?"  
Metz: "May who?"  
Ig.: "Mayonnaise."  
Metz: "No, she was dressing and wouldn't lettuce."

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Bill Munger:  
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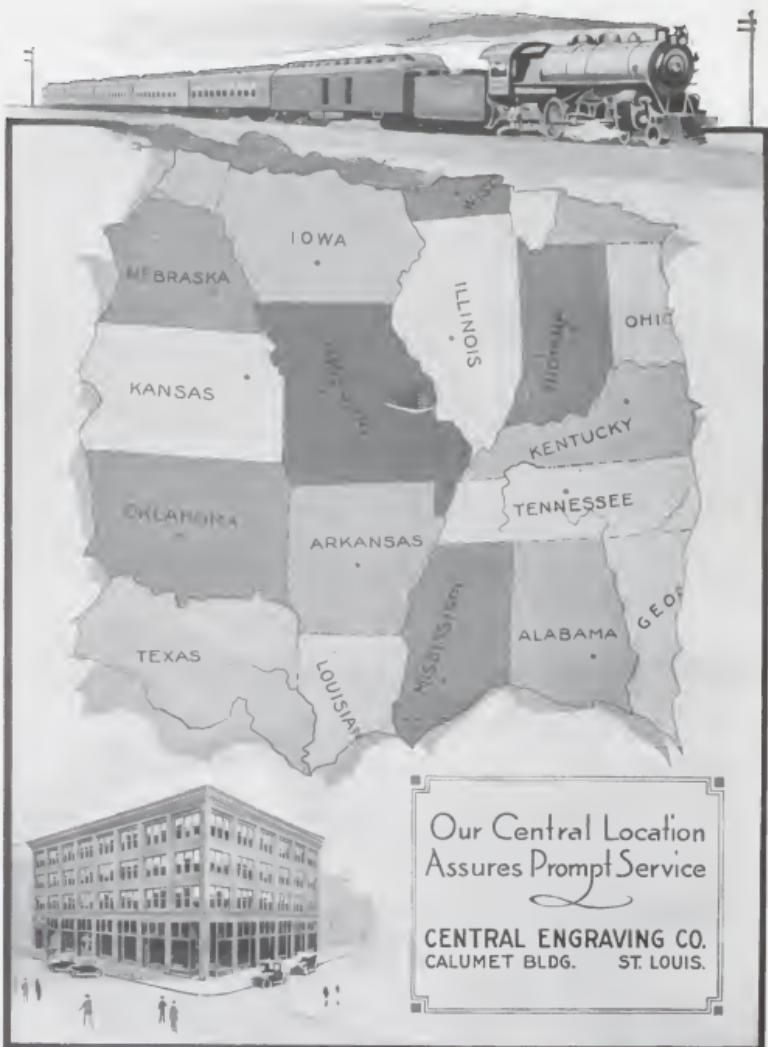
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